

AUSTRIA REGRETTED BREAK WITH U. S.

Vienna Foreign Office Hoped Rupture of Rela- tions Would Be Avoided

REGRET UNIVERSAL

Monarchy Does Not Contem- plate Declaring War On the United States

PEOPLE OF VIENNA CALM

FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, FORMERLY STATIONED IN VIENNA, BERNE, APRIL 16.—Via Paris.—The Austro-Hungarian government up to the last minute regretted what it considered to be a necessity of severing diplomatic relations with the United States. Although the Austro-Hungarian embassy at Washington had been instructed to demand passports in case congress declared war against Germany or a state of war with Germany, the Vienna foreign office hoped a break could be avoided.

It is remarkable that the departure from Vienna of the American ambassador, Frederick C. Penfield, was not in any way directly connected with the steps of the Austro-Hungarian government had taken for breaking off relations with the United States. In the last week in March Ambassador Penfield had received from the state department a cablegram to the effect that he should return to Washington to consult with President Wilson regarding the European situation, taking at the same time a long needed rest.

Ambassador Penfield's departure also was intended to eliminate the peculiar situation existing since President Wilson thought it inappropriate to accept the credentials of Count Tarnowski, the recently appointed Austrian ambassador. The state department's intention was to leave the Vienna embassy in charge of Counselor Joseph C. Greig.

Given First Intimation

When Ambassador Penfield informed Count Czernie, the foreign minister, of his intention of leaving Vienna, he was given for the first time, an intimation that the Austro-Hungarian government intended to break off diplomatic relations with Washington in case the United States entered into a state of war with Germany. The ambassador was informed, however, that nothing would be done pending the action of congress.

Mr. Penfield at first planned to leave Vienna April 4 or 5, but was informed that he would be received by the emperor April 5. On the day appointed, the ambassador was received by the emperor but the same evening report was current that Mr. Penfield himself would be given his passports.

The news appeared authentic to the ambassador who himself unwilling to investigate, asked the correspondent of The Associated Press to ascertain if the report were true. The correspondent learned from the highest source that the Austro-Hungarian government did not intend to hang the ambassador his passports, even though congress declared a state of war and President Wilson signed the resolution. Thus The Associated Press became virtually the intermediary between the American embassy and the Austro-Hungarian government.

The government made all needed arrangements for the ambassador's departure and to the last moment treated him as a diplomat going on leave of absence. Two representatives of the foreign office were at the station to bid farewell to the Ambassador and Mrs. Penfield and in the name of the Austro-Hungarian government, presented Mr. Penfield with flowers and other gifts. The semi-official Fremdenblatt on April 16 pointed out in a leader that, with diplomatic relations between Washington and Vienna intact and intercourse between the embassy and the state department unchecked, certain military information likely to hurt Germany would reach the American government and this is considered one reason why the severance of relations became necessary. To the very last the Austro-Hungarian government seemed loath to exert in any way control over American diplomatic communication. Mr. Greig, charge d'affaires, was handed his passports on Easter Sunday at 2:15 o'clock in the afternoon, but the news was suppressed until the following Tuesday. The people of Vienna who had hoped to see a rupture avoided, accepted the announcement with the greatest calm. No demonstrations were made against Americans and the Austro-Hungarian authorities treated them with the usual consideration, waiving for their benefit nearly all passport and baggage regulations.

Not to Declare War

That diplomatic relations between the two countries had been severed appeared to cause universal regret. The announcement is made on high authority that the monarchy does not contemplate declaring war on the United States, that it is willing to leave further developments in the hands of the American government.

FAVOR PROVISION FOR VOLUNTEERS IN ARMY

House Military Committee Takes Tentative Vote

Question of Preparing a Substitute for the Administration Bill Will Be Passed On Finally Today—Senate Committee Hears Explanation of Staff Bill.

Washington, April 16.—Tentative votes in the house military committee today disclosed a majority in favor of making provision for volunteers in the army plans which, as drawn by the general staff and approved by President Wilson, are based entirely upon the selective draft system. Two members of the committee were absent and the question of preparing a substitute for the administration bill will be passed upon finally tomorrow.

Various methods of raising and organizing the great fighting force for which the president asked, were advanced by members opposing immediate application of the draft resulting from a proposal to eliminate the draft provision entirely.

The administration is standing squarely upon the general staff's unanimous opinion that the volunteer system can have no place beyond the enlistments in the regulars or national guard, in the raising and training of the army needed.

Apparently confidence still prevails that eventually both houses will accept the staff bill.

The senate military committee spent the day hearing an explanation of the staff measure from Secretary Baker and Judge Advocate General Crowder. Chairman Chamberlain said tonight he hoped to conclude work in committee on the bill tomorrow and despite opposition shown to the draft feature he was hopeful it would be approved and reported to the senate in time to follow on the floor the \$7,000,000,000 revenue bill which probably will be passed tomorrow night.

In the senate committee some senate members thought the official explanations given and the arguments advanced in support of the draft provision had made a deep impression upon those anxious to have the volunteer system tried again. The house judiciary committee today approved Chairman Webb's bill which would permit the allies to recruit their citizens in the United States.

MAKES SAVAGE ATTACK UPON UNITED STATES

EL PASO, Texas, April 16.—A savage attack upon the United States its government and people appears in El Heraldo del Norte, the leading Carranza organ of Chihuahua City, Mexico, in its issue of April 15, copies of which arrived here today. It alleges that the only reason why the United States did not declare war sooner on Germany was because of its cowardice, that Brazil entered because it is dominated by Portuguese influence and that Cuba joined only because it has become a mere appendage of the United States.

SET NEW RECORD FOR CHICAGO RECRUITING

CHICAGO, April 16.—More than 100 men were sworn in at navy recruiting stations today, again breaking the record for navy recruiting here. Chicago now stands second in the number of applications accepted for enlistment in the central division for the month beginning March 15, according to figures given out by the officials.

Kansas City heads the list of offices in the central division with 590; Chicago 327; Minneapolis 315; Indianapolis 293; Cincinnati 289; Detroit 221; Des Moines 198; Omaha 195; St. Louis 135; Peoria 122; Milwaukee 117. The total for the middle west is 22,802.

SLAYER SURRENDERS.

Burlington, Ia., April 16.—George Farnal shot and killed Roy Chesters, in a bank car at Gladstone, Ill., Sunday evening, because Chesters kicked the stove over. The men were members of a Burlington Route construction crew. The murderer gave himself up. Both slayer and victim are colored.

REPORT PUBLISHER MISSING.

Galesburg, Ill., April 16.—Harry E. Robinson, publisher of the Alexis (Illinois) Argus, is reported missing by his wife, who fears that he has committed suicide. He is said to have worried greatly because the high price of print paper made his business unprofitable.

CHARGE NEGRO WITH MURDER.

Quincy, Ill., April 16.—Leo Cottrell, colored, is in jail here today charged with the shooting of Chester Coleman, a negro late yesterday afternoon. The shooting, in which Coleman was instantly killed, occurred during a crap game, according to the police, who declare that Cottrell has admitted the shooting, claiming self defense.

SINK BRITISH TANK SHIP.

New York, April 16.—The British tank ship Narragansett, 9,196 tons and one of the largest carriers of bulk oil ever built, was torpedoed and sunk off the Irish coast, according to word brought here today by officers on a British ship.

TO OPEN AVIATION SCHOOL.

Chicago, April 16.—A United States army aviation school will be opened in Chicago within ten days for the instruction of members of the officers' reserve corps. It was announced today. The school will be under the supervision of Captain Roy S. Brown, of Minneapolis, Minn., and the number of students will be limited to 75.

EXPECT S. AMERICA TO ENDORSE ACTION

Only Three Countries Have Not Yet Defined Their Positions

WANT MORAL SUPPORT

Feel No Concern As To Where Sympathy of Central Ameri- can Group Will Be Placed

ARMIES TOTAL 334,000

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Prompt endorsements from South America of the action of the United States in taking up Germany's challenge to war are the source of much gratification to administration officials. There remains today but three countries—Ecuador, Venezuela and Colombia—which had not defined their positions, and it was believed that before the end of the week, they too, would respond.

Feel No Concern

With the exception of Costa Rica none of the Central American group had declared its attitude but no concern over where their sympathy will be placed has been felt at the state department.

Following is the way the other Latin-American nations whose positions are defined, were lined up today.

Cuba—Declared war against Germany.

Panama—Declared her readiness to assist in any way possible in the protection of the Panama canal.

Costa Rica—Offered her ports and other territorial waters to the United States for war needs of the American navy.

Brazil—Relations broken off with Germany.

Bolivia—Relations broken off with Germany.

Uruguay—Endorsed the action of the United States and characterized Germany's submarine warfare as an "insult to humanity."

Paraguay—Expressed sympathy with the government of the United States, "forced into war to rehabilitate the rights of neutrals."

Argentina—Endorsed the action of the United States as just and right.

Mexico—Neutral.

State department officials believe it possible that Ecuador may regard itself as bound to adopt a somewhat equivocal attitude because of a suggestion several weeks ago that a conference of neutrals be held at Montevideo to study means for bringing the war to an end.

Await Guatemala's Action

Guatemala's proclamation of martial law was still regarded here as a step preliminary to a break with Germany. It was believed that Honduras, Salvador and Nicaragua, are awaiting action by Guatemala.

The United States has looked to Latin-America for moral support more than for material assistance, but there has been no disposition to under rate the material assistance that might be given. The total peace strength of Latin-America's armies is now only 334,000 men but the potential power is several times that.

ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL NEEDS NUMBER OF MEN

CHICAGO, April 16.—The United States arsenal at Rock Island, Ill., needs the following men at once:

Fifty machinists—\$3 to \$4.45 a day.

Twenty-four tool makers—\$3.75 to \$4.50.

Three die sinkers—\$4 to \$4.75.

Ten millers—\$2.25 to \$2.50.

Twenty-seven profilers—\$2.25 to \$2.75.

Four punch forgers—\$2.75 to \$4.25.

Six punch press operators—\$2.25 to \$2.50.

Nine grinders and adjusters—\$2.75 to \$3.75.

One barrel straightener—\$2.75.

Four riveters—\$2.25 to \$2.50.

Twenty-five inspectors—\$2.50 to \$3.75.

The wages are based on the eight hour day, with time and a half for overtime. The arsenal is now working ten hours a day.

GRAND JURY INDICTS TWO.

New York, April 16.—Indictments were returned by the federal grand jury today against Charles E. Hastings and Rutherford Rutledge in connection with the alleged plot to obtain military information from Great Britain for the use of the German authorities. Hastings is under arrest but Rutledge is believed to be on his way here from an English port. Albert O. Sander, Charles Wunneberg and George Vaux Bacon all are serving terms in the Atlanta federal prison following confessions of having been implicated in the plot.

TO DISTRIBUTE COPIES OF MESSAGE

Chicago, April 16.—Millions of copies of President Wilson's industrial message will be distributed into the homes, farms and factories of central and western states thru the activities of the Western Advertising Agents association.

CALLS ON FARMERS TO PLANT MORE WHEAT

Statement By Secretary Hous- ton Urges Action At Once

Would Make Up the Serious Shortage Threatened by the Unpromising Condition of the Winter Wheat Crop

Washington, April 16.—Farmers of the spring wheat belt, particularly those of North Dakota, Minnesota, South Dakota, Washington, Montana, and Idaho were called upon by Secretary Houston today to plant more wheat immediately, to make up the serious shortage threatened by the unpromising condition of the winter wheat crop.

Action at once is imperative, said a statement issued by the secretary, and the best tops will be found in the region in which spring wheat already is produced extensively.

"Attempts to increase the acreage of spring wheat outside the present spring wheat belt, on the other hand, might prove less successful because of a lack of familiarity by farmers with the crop," continued the statement, "and especially because of the difficulty of obtaining the use of harvesting machinery and the added likelihood of the crop suffering for a lack of labor at harvest time. A concentration of large crop production will make possible the more efficient utilization of labor. While production is relatively small in the remaining states, a number of communities existing each of these states in which the growing of spring wheat is well established. Such communities like those in the principal spring wheat growing states offer good fields for the extension of the spring wheat acreage."

"Seeding is already under way throughout the greater portion of the spring wheat belt, but in many sections it should be possible to increase appreciably the area seeded to wheat during the next few weeks. Where such increase would interfere with the conduct of an established industry such as dairying it would, of course, be inadvisable."

CANADA PLACES WHEAT ON FREE LIST

Action Opens United States Markets to Canada and Canadian Markets to U. S.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 16.—The government has placed wheat, flour and semolina on the free list, thus opening United States markets to Canada and Canadian markets to the United States in these products.

Under the reciprocal clauses of the American tariff, the United States will admit free, wheat and wheat products of any country which admits American wheat without duty. The Canadian tariff has heretofore prevented this privilege being availed of.

The order is due to difficulty of export abroad owing to shortage of ocean tonnage and the fact that the British market has been virtually closed for Canadian wheat of lower grade. The duties removed at 10c a bushel on wheat and forty five cents a barrel on flour.

Will Benefit Dominion.

Washington, April 16.—Canada's order today putting wheat and wheat products on the free list will be decided to the advantage of dominion producers, officials here said tonight. The American duty on imports on Canadian wheat will disappear automatically and if the American crop is short the United States may become a good market for the Canadian product.

Officials believe the Canadian action was inspired to a large degree by the fact that the United States is now an ally of the British government and that therefore the move will be for the common good. American wheat is going to England in large quantities.

For the present it is not believed the order will have any practical effect as Canada's visible supply is as short as this country's.

FINDS SWITCHES HAD BEEN TAMPERED WITH

MASON CITY, Ia., April 16.—Additional evidence pointing to a plot to destroy railroad buildings and equipment following the burning yesterday of the Clarion, Ia., round house, came to light today when Clarence Kennings, a telegraph operator for the Chicago & Great Western railroad, discovered the main track switches controlled by an interlocking plant at Austin, Minn., had been tampered with.

The operator while walking along the track noticed that the switches and signals did not correspond. An investigation has been started.

CAPTAIN ROGERS DIES.

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—Captain T. S. Rogers, Civil War veteran, active in Republican state politics and for thirty eight years in the provision business in Chicago, died last night at his home in Downers Grove after a long illness. He was 86 years old and came to Illinois in 1844.

SAID TO BE OUT OF GAME TEN WEEKS.

Chicago, April 16.—The injury of Vic Sater, first baseman of the Chicago Nationals, in yesterday's game, will lay him up for eight or ten weeks, it was said today. The bone broken was the fibula and it is said that the fracture should be completely healed by July.

VOTE TO SUPPORT WILSON.

Calumet, Mich., April 16.—At a meeting of German-Americans here yesterday it was voted to support President Wilson.

FRENCH DELIVER VIOLENT ATTACK

Make Important Gains Over Twenty-Five Mile Front —Take 10,000 Troops

COUNTER-ATTACKS FAIL

Action Takes Place Between Soissons and Rheims—Violent Artillery Activity Continues

AIRMEN BOMB FRIEBURG

The French troops in the departments of the Aisne and the Marne have delivered a violent infantry attack against the Germans over a front of twenty five miles and made important gains, captured more than ten thousand prisoners and large quantities of war material.

Repulse Counter-Attacks

The battle took place between Soissons and Rheims, and over a distance of 18 1/2 miles from Soissons to Craonne, the entire German front line positions fell into the hands of General Neville's forces while east of Craonne a second line German position south of Juvincourt and an other position on the outskirts of Berniercourt running along the Aisne canal to Lorraine and Courcy also were captured. Violent counter-attacks delivered by the Germans on several sectors were repulsed with heavy casualties to the attackers.

The artillery for several days had been violently shelling the entire region and Monday, while British activity along the front from Lens to St. Quentin had almost ceased owing to a heavy rainfall, the French launched their infantry in an endeavor to break thru or press back the Germans from this point of great strategic value. The German official communication in briefly referring to the attack, described it as a "great attempt to break thru with a far-distant object," possibly meaning that a successful breach of the German lines here might necessitate the falling back by the Germans along a greater part of the front from Lens to Soissons.

Artillery Activity Continues

To the east in Champagne, violent artillery activity continues, probably being the forerunner of an attempt by the French at a drive against the German lines in this important region. Up to the time that the rainstorm began Monday afternoon the British had captured from the Germans the village of Villerset, south east of Hargreave and eight miles from St. Quentin, and also had made additional progress north of Lens. During the week that the British offensive has been going on Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces have made prisoners of 14,000 Germans and captured 194 guns and large quantities of war stores.

From the fact that the French troops in Alsace and Lorraine have renewed their fighting against the Germans, preceding it with heavy artillery preparation, it would appear that all along the French front the moment is approaching for an intensive battle from Belgium to the Swiss border.

From none of the battle fronts except that in France has there come reports of any great battles. There have been small encounters between the Austro-Germans and Russians on the eastern front. A tentative allied attempt against an allied position in the Cerna river region of Macedonia was repulsed. In the Austro-Italian theater the operations have been limited to patrol encounters, owing to snowstorms.

Drive Turks Farther Back

In Mesopotamia the British troops operating in the Tigris-Diaret river sector have driven the Turks farther back and made numerous prisoners.

British airmen, aided by French aviators, have carried out for the first time the announced policy of reprisal issued by the British government against the sinking of hospital ships by German submarines. The town of Freiburg, Germany, has been heavily bombed by airmen, with good results according to a British communication.

VILLA SLIPS OUT OF CAREFULLY LAID TRAP

JUAREZ, Mexico, Apr. 16.—Francisco Villa with his characteristic cunning, is believed to have slipped out of the trap carefully laid by General Francisco Murguía to capture him in Western Chihuahua.

General Murguía was at El Valle south of Casas Grandes, yesterday and his scouts have been unable to locate Villa or his forces in the Namiquipa district, where he was reported to have gone following the fight at San Andres April 3.

NEW YORK LOSES TRANS. TAX

New York, April 16.—Dietry Green was declared to have been a non-resident of this state at the time of her death, by Surrogate Fowler here today. By this decision New York State loses a transfer tax of more than a million dollars.

DEMAND OPPORTUNITY FOR PRACTICAL SERVICE

Congress of D. A. R. Endorses Nation's Entrance Into War

Speech of Ambassador Jusserand of France Arouses Great Enthusiasm. Diplomat Praises Wilson and Expects Soon to See an American Army in France

Washington, April 16.—Patriotic demonstrations with demands for opportunity for practical service in the war emergency, featured the opening session here today of the twenty-sixth congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Unqualified endorsement of the nation's entrance into the fight against Germany and universal military service was recorded in resolutions adopted unanimously.

Arouses Great Enthusiasm

Great enthusiasm was aroused in the afternoon by a speech of Ambassador Jusserand of France, who spoke with the British and Italian ambassadors seated behind him on the stage. The ambassador warmly praised President Wilson and declared that he expected soon to see an American army in France, repaying the visit of LaFayette and Rochambeau in the revolutionary war.

The ambassador brought a message of appreciation to the daughters for the help they have given his country since the war began.

Mrs. William Cunningham Story, the president-general, in her address, endorsed the note of practical service. She urged the daughters to make this congress a gathering of American women worthy of a crucial time.

Readiness of women of the nation to serve was proclaimed in speeches by members of nearly every state delegation. The speakers gave their approval to a policy of retrenchment and economy and at the suggestion of Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis, of Illinois, the congress voted to abandon the annual banquet which had been arranged for Wednesday night.

Lieut. Gen. Young Speaks

Lieutenant General S. M. B. Young, retired, addressed the daughters upon the approval of universal service.

As usual the delegates are giving a large share of their attention to the campaign preceding the annual election of officers which will be held Wednesday morning.

The four candidates for president-general are Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis, Illinois; Mrs. George C. Squires of Minnesota; Mrs. George Thatcher Guernsey of Kansas and Mrs. John Miller Horton of New York.

More than 2,500 of the daughters are attending the congress.

WANT STATE BANKS IN RESERVE SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, April 16.—A renewal of effort on a nationwide scale to bring state banks into the federal reserve system is to be made shortly as part of a comprehensive program looking to the further mobilization of the country's financial resources.

Legislation looking to this end was favorably reported today to the senate by Chairman Owen of the Banking and Currency committee.

The committee not only favors the enactment of amendments to the reserve act which failed at the last session of congress but proposes new ones which it believes if enacted it would result in removing one of the chief objections of state banks to coming into the system, the restriction against interlocking directorates.

The proposed amendments would allow state banks to exercise their privileges under state laws and would impose upon them a minimum restriction.

REFUSES TO VACATE NAMING OF RECEIVER

BOSTON, April 16.—A petition for vacation of the appointment of a receiver for the supreme council of the Royal Arcanum was refused by Judge Aldrich in the federal district court today.

Henry C. Wiggins of Rome, N. Y., general counsel for the supreme council, had asked that the injunction restraining the supreme officers from carrying on the business of the order and the appointment of Thomas J. Boynton of Everett as receiver, which were made last Saturday be set aside on the ground that the order was solvent. Judge Aldrich, after dismissing the petition, suggested that counsel agree to a decree making the receivership permanent and to an appeal by the organization. Pending the appeal the receiver would not be authorized to act, he said. After a conference, it was announced that all parties had virtually agreed to follow the court's suggestion.

REPORT STRIKES IN BERLIN.

Amsterdam, April 16.—via London.—Advices received here from Berlin say that strikes were declared in Berlin today among a portion of the metal, wood and transport industries. Other industries including large munition factories and the general business of the city have not been affected by the isolated strikes. Tramway traffic in Berlin is normal.

WOULD EXEMPT MARRIED MEN.

Washington, April 16.—Representative Britten of Illinois, introduced today a resolution, proposing that exemption of married men from military duty under any future compulsory service legislation shall not apply to those married after April 1, this year, except under a special order by the secretary of war.

ADMIRAL JELlicoe GRANTS INTERVIEW

States Small Craft Would Be Best Contribution U. S. Could Make

GIVE NAVY INFORMATION

British Sea Lord States Best Hunting Ground for Raiders is On European Side

U-BOATS MORE CAUTIOUS

LONDON, April 16.—Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, former commander of the British grand fleet and now first sea lord, informed The Associated Press during the course of an interview today that anything and everything in the way of small craft, from destroyers to tugs, would be the most useful contribution he thought the United States could make to the war against German submarines. In his connection the first sea lord asserted that the best hunting ground for raiders is on this side of the water as the possibility of German submarines operating on the American coast is almost negligible unless they have a base on that side.

Giving Navy Information

"I have no desire to minimize the American people," said the admiral, "the serious situation prevailing as a result of the illegal use of submarines by the Germans. Neither is it easy for us to take them into our confidence and tell them what we are going to do with the evil, without providing the Germans with useful information. No methods existed in the past for fighting the submerged submarine and the new inventions and processes for that purpose take time to develop. We are giving you navy all the information in our possession and knowing its record we have great confidence that American inventive genius will supplement it with valuable contributions."

"As far as the feeding of the allied populations is concerned our efforts must be concentrated in saving tonnage while bringing in the necessary war supplies, in order to minimize the effect of the submarine warfare."

Food Situation Serious

"Our food situation is by no means as desperate as the Germans want to believe it is, but, on the other hand, it is more serious than many of our own people realize. Our own shipping suffered very little more in March than during the first month of unrestricted submarine warfare and other tonnage sunk during that period was in much the same position and there is no very marked method of combating the evil."

"The increasing armament of our mercantile marine has made submarines far more cautious and more submerged attacks are taking place. Of course this has one advantage inasmuch as the raiders must depend upon their torpedoes for such attacks and being able to carry only a limited number must return to port sooner than when they made their attacks from the surface. Your navy department knows just how many submarines we have sunk, but the exact number of U-boats that have actually never returned to port is known only to the German admiralty, which, naturally does not give us this information."

Host of Small Craft Best

"Against a submerged attack a host of small craft form the best protection. We can use everything from destroyers to tugs of any size. The danger of showing a periscope when the submarine may have a bomb dropped on it or rammed is one of which our enemy does not like to face. But these craft must be used in the zone where submarines operate and such a zone is hardly likely to be extended to the American base. German submarines cannot operate over there effectively without a base and I am sure that your magnificent navy will have no trouble in patrolling the Mexican gulf coast, on which a base might exist while the entrance of Cuba into the war on the side of the allies deprives the Germans of the best place they might have secured for such bases."

The first sea lord impresses one as being an executive of intense vigor, keenly interested in his work and without illusions as to its magnitude.

WEATHER INDICATIONS. AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois: Unsettled weather Tuesday and Wednesday with occasional rains, no decided change in temperature.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded for Monday were:

Jacksonville	54	59	42
Boston	46	52	26
Buffalo	32	32	30
New York	48	52	38
New Orleans	70	78	58
Chicago	42	44	34
Detroit	40	52	28
Omaha	58	60	40
St. Paul	44	48	34
Helena	34	40	22
San Francisco	52	56	42
Winnipeg	44	50	30

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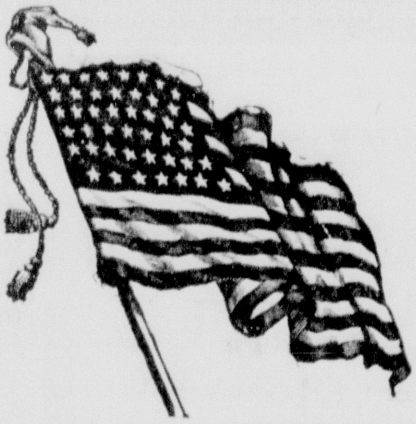
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A WARNING TO FARMERS.

Farmers who are sending half grown stock to market because of the abnormally high prices and the fear of governmental regulation, are not doing justice to themselves or to the country. Their course, if followed consistently, will bring about a condition like that in Germany. In the early days of the present war the shipments were rushed in because of high prices, with the inevitable result that later on came a scarcity. The same thing will happen here unless stockmen refrain from the shipment of half fat stock.

STUDYING THE HOME COUNTRY.

Because of the conditions prevailing abroad the past two years there has been much more than the usual travel in this country. This same condition will obtain this year and the roads with truckage in the west are now carrying advertisements calling attention to the beauties and attractions of the west. It is expected that there will be more "summer boarders" at some of the western ranching towns this year than ever known before, partially as the result of the railroads' advertising and partially because the safety area for travelers is now almost limited to this country. "Seeing America" is a mighty good thing for some of these tourists who in the past have been inclined to think other countries much more grand than their own.

A GOOD EXAMPLE.

It is remembered that early in the war John Morley and John Burns, connected with the British government, withdrew because they could not concur in the views of the majority. This fact is called to mind by some of the metropolitan papers who are suggesting that the Burns and Morley example could well be followed by some men in congress who are seeking to interfere with the national policy of defense. Some of these men are still playing at politics and are putting politics above patriotism. Certainly the English example is well worth their consideration.

GOETHEALS, THE COMPETENT.

Americans will be better pleased than ever with the choice of General Goethals to superintend the construction of the great fleet of naval ships when they realize how unpopular the general is in Germany. It is recalled that this great American is of German origin and that he incurred the displeasure of various prominent Germans when he accomplished the construction of the Panama canal after a German expert had said this work was impossible.

General Goethals is the man in all America best fitted for the great task he has undertaken. Possibly no one else equally competent could have been chosen. It is so with other great tasks which have been outlined in connection with the country's program of preparation and defense. In each case the right man has been chosen.

A CHARITY TRUST.

Philanthropists in Chicago are greatly interested in the Chicago Community trust, of which Clifford W. Barnes, at one time president of Illinois college, is the chairman. The trust was organized for the purpose of managing bequests in behalf of local charities. It was formed with the idea that there are many men and women who desire to leave funds for charitable and philanthropic work who are not fully informed as to the best plans of distribution. So it happens from lack of special knowledge that funds are bequeathed in a way that the benefits of society are not as great as they should be.

The Chicago Community trust will be continuous in existence and those connected with it will have information about the whole field of benevolence. A bequest left to an organization of this kind can be shaped to the changing times and needs, while a bequest assigned to one certain charity can never be changed. The confidence felt in the organization is indicated by the fact that the late Norman W. Harris of Chicago left by will \$400,000 to be administered by the trust.

THE DEADENED SENSES.

The London Observer in commenting upon the dulled feeling of the public and of individuals because of the many tragedies enacted each day of the war, says:

"In these momentous days, when empires may be overthrown in the space of a few hours and a great battle is fought for weeks on end, no gap in the social ranks, however remote, is more than a passing incident outside the immediate circle

of family and friends. The deadening result of the tremendous tragedies which are of daily enactment have their corresponding effect on the lesser tragedies which are individual."

THIS WOULD STOP THE SLACKERS.

Congressman Britten has suggested an amendment to the military service bill which, if approved, will bring to a sudden end the great rush for marriage licenses in Chicago and New York. The congressman is attacking the "slackers" who are hurriedly marrying in order to avoid military service. He would change the law so that it will exempt from service those who had dependent relatives April 1, 1917.

It hasn't seemed possible to shame these young men who are hiding behind women's skirts, so the next best thing is to take care of them in some such way as the congressman is now proposing.

U. S. TROOPS ON THE BATTLE LINE.

There is much to be said in favor of Col. Roosevelt's plan of taking an army of 100,000 men to join the armies of the allies. The colonel has submitted to the president his plan in writing and is proposing that the 100,000 to be taken on this expedition shall be volunteers. He thoroughly believes in universal compulsory military service but has suggested the volunteer plan in this instance.

Col. Roosevelt's thought is that the American flag planted on the European battle field would furnish proof of American earnestness in the enterprise and would go a long way toward bringing the war to a close. It is very probable that the German people and the German soldiers have little or no knowledge of affairs as they really exist on this side of the Atlantic, and if they could be made to understand that the great wealth and strength of this country is seriously and forcibly contributed to the allies' cause the effect would certainly be important.

EACH DAY ITS GLORY INCREASES. OUR FLAG.

Old glory thy colors are brighter this morning
Than ever their glowing of yore;
And the stars in their beauty thy azure adorning
Are shining as never before.

Old Glory I love those bright stars in our keeping,
And greater each day is my love;
And the heart in my bosom is quick in its leaping
When you're sweeping the heavens above.

Old Glory thy folds are more gallantly streaming
In the breezes wherever unfurled,
And the eyes that gaze on thee with glad hope are beaming
For now you keep guard o'er a world.

—S. A. Hughes.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

Be Happy

Be happy while you can; that is the better plan. Oh, chortle all the day, and like the lambskins play. Full soon the ties will come, and red-hot bees will hum, the nights will be so hot you'll tumble on your cot and say you'd give a heap for seven lines of sleep. Mosquitoes will be here to murrain in your ear the soft and gentle strain that drives strong men insane. The days will reek with heat, and you will long for sleep the while you wield your fan—be happy while you can. Be happy while you can, oh, melancholy man! For now the skies are fair and soothing is the air; there are no insect pests to build on you their nests. The sun shines overhead, but does not bake you red. Just now Dame Nature tries to show that she is wise to every human need; her work is smooth, indeed. The world is all serene, rejuvenated, clean, a pleasant world to scan—be happy while you can!

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

April 17, 1845—Carthage, Illinois, communication. Mormon trouble, in Hancock county laid to political reasons, leading loco loco papers of the State side with the Mormons and against Old Citizens.

WITH THE SICK

W. T. Saner, who has been very ill with pneumonia at Our Saviour's hospital, is now improving steadily.

Earl Zachary, who was injured recently by a fall from a horse, is improving in satisfactory manner.

Matt Powers of West Frankfort, Ill., is a patient at Oak Lawn Sanatorium.

Amos Kellogg has returned to his home after taking a successful period of treatment at Oak Lawn sanatorium.

Mrs. James Whalen has for the past few days been quite ill of pneumonia at her home in Franklin.

MISSISS NEWMAN RETURN FROM MILWAUKEE VISIT

Misses Ella and Mary Louise Newman returned Monday from Milwaukee, Wis., where they were guests at the home of their brother. They were accompanied by their nephew, William Ellis Newman, who will remain for a visit at the Newman home on East State street. Miss Ella Newman, who is head of the department of domestic science at Jacksonville High school, was greatly interested in home economics work at the West Side High school, in charge of Miss Isabel Baldwin for merly domestic science instructor here. The department there occupies seven rooms and is conducted in the most up-to-date manner.

FARM NOTES

Million-Dollar County Agent

The Farmer's Review
An Iowa banker says that in four years the work of their county agricultural agent has resulted in an increased value in his county of nearly \$1,500,000. Being in the banking business, he should be good at figures that apply to dollars, but some will guess that he is going a little strong in this case. However, he has itemized the results of the agent's work, giving him credit for four years on alfalfa, corn, silos, treating oats, saving hogs (use of serum), and spraying and the total increase in four years on these items is \$1,428,470. Loo off the first figure in this sum and still call him a corking good investment! We do not wish to detract from the work of any county agent, and in this case would only observe that where there is so much smoke there must be some fire. If any county is interested in securing the services of this million-dollar county agricultural agent, we shall be glad to supply his name and address without charge. What salary can he command? Oh, at the foregoing figures we should say about a hundred thousand dollars a year, or somewhere near that amount.

FUNERALS

Gaul.

Funeral services for William Gaul were held from the residence of his son, Joseph Gaul, 437 South Main street Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. A. A. Todd pastor of First Baptist church. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Miss Eva Breitweiser, Miss Marguerite Mayer, Fred Mayer and John Schofield. The flowers were cared for by Miss Mary Gaul, Miss Hazel Bridges and Miss Lucille Mendonsa. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery, the bearers being, John E. Wright, C. E. McDougall, Frank Wiggins, R. R. Stevenson, John Brown and Arch Norris.

Smith.

A large number of relatives and friends gathered in Northminster church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to attend the funeral of Reuben R. Smith. Services were in charge of the pastor, the Rev. Walter E. Spoons, who spoke words of consolation and hope to the sorrowing relatives. Hymns were sung by Miss Margaret Fernandes, Miss Esther Spoons, Hiram Day and Everett Fernandes. There were many beautiful floral offerings and these were cared for by Mrs. Myrtle Fernandes, Mrs. Jennie Vieira and Miss Una Nunes. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery, the bearers being Frank German, Arthur Temple, Arthur Ellis, Thomas DeFreitas, Frank Crabtree and Benjamin McCarty.

Kenney.

Funeral services for the late Daniel Kenney were conducted Monday afternoon from the Sacred Heart church at Franklin in charge of Rev. A. Smith. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery there. The bearers were Dan McCarthy, Joseph Seaver, Eugene Doyle, Jerry Ryan, Dennis and Richard Whalen.

The death of Mr. Kenney has been mentioned briefly before. It was about Christmas time that he suffered an attack of pneumonia from which he recovered, but he was left in a weakened condition. Later came an attack of pulmonary edema, which caused his death, Saturday, April 14. Mr. Kenney was born in December, 1868, and had lived in Franklin neighborhood his entire life, his death occurring at the family home four and one half miles northwest of Franklin. The deceased was married May 13, 1891, to Miss Della Crumpe, who survives him together with their two sons, William and Clarence.

He leaves also three brothers, James Kenney, Franklin, Martin Kenney, Jacksonville and Michael Kenney, Milwaukee, and four sisters, Mrs. Patrick Murphy, Franklin; Mrs. Frank Belt, Keokuk; Sister M. Eliza, Beth, Canton and Miss Nellie Kenney Jacksonville.

INTEREST GROWS IN BROOKLYN REVIVAL

There was a large attendance at Brooklyn revival Sunday both morning and evening. Monday night found another large audience at the church, and the interest is increasing with each service. Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Agnew offered prayer and the theme of Evangelist Towle was "Righteousness the Core of Religion." The Sunday night sermon was on "The Delusion of the Home," the text being from Genesis 18-19. Last night, "No Man Cared for My Soul," was Evangelist Towle's theme. He said in part: "It was strange that David felt as he did when he wrote the words of my text. But it is stranger still that men live in an enlightened city like this and are lost in the ways of sin and so many Christians exhibit no concern for them."

We respond in times of great physical distress. We rush to the aid of the needy. But oh, the apathy and indifference of the church toward the unsaved! Members of your own family are not Christians, but have you ever asked them to become Christians? There are parents who never speak to their children about their souls. Some think the preacher is at fault when the church does not prosper. But a working, soul-winning church will grow in spite of the preacher. Sermons, no matter who preaches them, will not get out of the building delivered in if the people do not care for souls. People become careless because we fail to realize as we should that without Christ men are lost."

THE BIRTH RECORD

Word has been received in the city of the arrival of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newman of Virginia, Illinois. Mrs. Newman was formerly Miss May Haxton of this city.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. Ida Deere of Franklin was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

John Walsh of Quincy was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

Fred Roberts of Franklin had business in the city yesterday.

H. H. Claus of Peoria was a caller on city friends yesterday.

John O'Brien of Bluffs was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Edward Lomergan has gone to Chicago where he will spend the next several weeks on business.

J. B. Clancy of East St. Louis was a Monday business visitor in the city.

G. E. Mandel of Bloomington was calling on local merchants yesterday.

Harry Bray of St. Louis was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

R. C. Sutherland of Belvidere spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Vincent Carkeek and Albert Burch of Seattle, Wash., were business visitors in the city yesterday.

E. W. Wilkinson of Chicago attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

P. H. Wemple was here from Waverly Monday attending to legal matters.

A. A. Curry was in from Pisgah yesterday attending to business matters.

Paul Howe and Herman Sparks of Franklin were trading with local merchants yesterday.

W. W. Hummel of Quincy was numbered among the Monday business visitors in the city.

H. B. Richardson of Decatur was

called to the city Monday on business.

William Diggins of Concord drove to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

B. D. Miller of Decatur was numbered among the city arrivals yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pieper of Urbana visited Sunday with Jacksonville friends.

T. H. Moore of Springfield was numbered among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Luther Crawford was up to the city from Pisgah yesterday in his Ford automobile.

Edward Barber of Peoria was in the city Sunday to attend the funeral of the late Reuben Smith.

Eli McLaughlin went down to Winchester to spend Sunday with his aged mother, returning yesterday.

Ray Wilson of Springfield spent Sunday as the guest of Jacksonville friends.

E. R. McLaughlin of Winchester came up to the city Sunday in his Ford car.

James McGinnis of Meredosia had business attracting him to the city yesterday.

Eldon Gruber and Wm. Shields spent Sunday pleasantly with friends in New Berlin.

A. R. Eyre, agent for the Wells-Fargo Express company of this city, went to Havana yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell of Strawn's Crossing were city shoppers yesterday.

Henry Brookhouse of Arenzville traveled to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

Mrs. B. F. Couchman of Chaplin spent Sunday with Mrs. Daisy Emory on Westminster street.

Robert Michael has returned to Alton after a visit with Miss I. Clorihan of this city.

Mrs. Charles Corrington and grand daughter Frederika Charlene Eyre, have returned to Springfield after a visit with friends in the city.

John Carl went over to Virginia Sunday in his Overland automobile, returning yesterday and encountering plenty of mud.

George L. Kimber of Waverly is in the city acting as bailiff for the county court which opened yesterday.

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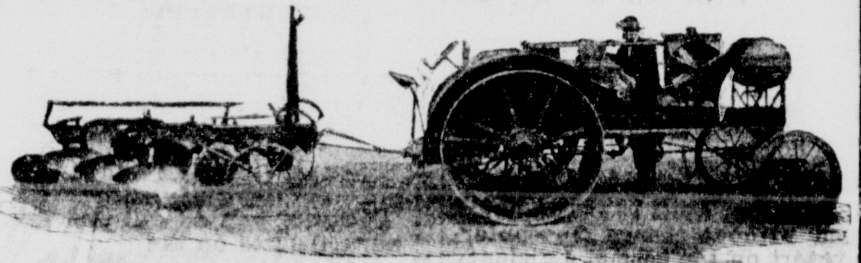
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Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Maul of Liberty spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Phillips at Clark's Chapel.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Northminster church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the church.

Miss Bertha Dunlap, daughter of Howard Dunlap, has been added to the force in the suit department of J. Herman and will be pleased to greet her friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cokeley and Mrs. Mary Conboy motored to Beardstown Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cokeley.

L. N. Parker and wife of Peoria are visiting their son, N. T. Parker of Lyncville precinct and yesterday the father, son and grandson came to the city in the son's Buick car.

COUNTY COURT IS NOW IN SESSION

Whisler Election Voting Case on Trial—Jury Did not Agree at Former Term.

The case of Everett Whisler, charged with illegal voting, is on trial in the county court before Judge Thomson. Mr. Whisler is represented by Worthington, Reeve & Green and State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson is conducting the prosecution. This case was heard at a previous term of court and the jury failed to agree. The jurors in the present trial are Howard Burch, W. E. Rexroat, W. B. Rawlins, F. J. Jowbury, J. C. Lair, John Burman, William Braker, William Cockrell, Oscar Tribble, George Overbeck, Joseph DeFrates, Jr., and Charles Reinhardt.

Mr. Whisler is a student at Illinois college and has been living here for five or six years. The evidence at the former trial showed that he had been self-supporting for that period and that he had visited his parents in Iowa only a few times. The case is one especially interesting in college circles as a decision finding that Mr. Whisler was not in his rights in voting here would affect a number of young men who come here to enter school and who do not intend to return to the cities from which they came.

Before the Whisler case began Judge Thomson heard without a jury the case of S. E. Gunn brought against A. Ferguson, in which it was alleged that the defendant had collected certain sums and had not turned the money over to the complainant. Mr. Gunn was represented by W. W. Wright and Mr. Ferguson by J. O. Priest and John M. Butler. The finding was in favor of Mr. Ferguson.

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SEES MILITARISM AS PRIME CAUSE OF WAR

The Rev. M. L. Pontius, Speaking Sunday in Patriotic Service at the Christian Church, Says Democracy Thruout the World is in Danger.

Democracy is the keynote of the United States of America and now this country has entered into the world's most brutal war to fight that democracy thruout the world may be preserved, said the Rev. M. L. Pontius at Central Christian church Sunday night. "While the insistent demands of democracy have not caused the war," he continued, "I believe the present war will push the cause of world democracy ahead a hundred years. Place your ear to the earth and you may hear the noise of the falling monarchies of Europe. In this war God has written above every European throne the words, 'Thou art weighed in the balance and found wanting.'"

The sermon subject of Mr. Pontius was "Our Country" and the music was of patriotic nature. A special number was given by the quartet, Mrs. Genevieve Clark Wilson, Miss Lorine Dewesse, Willard Wesner and C. S. Ratcliffe.

The formative period of our country's democracy ended in 1789, said the minister and during the years that have intervened the structure has been sorely tested. The American democracy is far from perfect, but ours is the purest, perhaps, of any nation in the world.

Causes of the War.

In speaking of the causes of the war Mr. Pontius said, in part: "I know that there were contributory causes in bringing this world war. In one sense it is a trade war. Back of every great war there is an economic cause. But the real cause of the war, the cause which has defiled the rights of defenseless women and children, the cause which has defiled the civilization of this century, the cause which has prevented the reign of the Prince of Peace in Europe, the cause which has defiled broken international law is Prussian militarism. The only difference between the German emperor and Napoleon is this, Napoleon wanted to dominate and control Europe, the German emperor wants to dominate and control the civilized world.

The minister spoke in strong terms of the German sympathizer, characterizing any one who lives in this country and benefits by its privileges and liberties and then lends active sympathy to the German cause, as a public enemy. Said he, continuing: "We need in this country a bold patriotism that will honor the stars and stripes, uphold the dignity of our nation and sustain the president in these troublous times. The victory will mean a world democracy and a citizenship that will not be selfish or national but human and world-wide."

TEN COTTAGES BURN.

New York, April 16.—Ten cottages were destroyed by fire, and twelve others were damaged with an estimated property loss, of \$200,000 today, at Rockaway Park, a residential section of Long Island. Members of the Home Defense League, organized after the war with Germany began, saved much threatened property by fighting flames on roof tops.

"THE RUNAWAYS" PROVED FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Parts Were Well Cast—Soloists and Choruses Won Favor—Given Under D. O. K. K. Auspices.

No better pleased audience ever left the Grand than that which viewed "The Runaways," given under the auspices of Ildorin Temple No. 62, D. O. K. K. and staged under the direction of George E. Shaw.

"The Runaways" proved capital entertainment in every particular and there was not a dull moment from the rise to the final fall of the curtain. The play contains enough plot to make funny situations and is built to permit of the interspersing of musical numbers and dances.

George E. Shaw, who produced "F. F. of the Toy Shop" last season, outdid himself in last night's performance. The work of all of the principals and choruses was excellent. Indeed one wonders how one man can accomplish so much in so little time as did Mr. Shaw. In addition to his directorship, Mr. Shaw took a prominent part in the performance and his work showed the finish of the professional.

William Benson was well cast as the tramping old capitalist and played the role with good judgment and brought out his comedy in an effective manner.

Helen Obermeyer as his daughter also carried her part well. She was especially good in her song number, "A Little Girl Like Me" and her duet with Paul Watkins. Their duet at the completion of the act called forth several encores.

Mrs. Harold Gay as Mrs. Jessie Mason looked charming and her number "Moon Serenade," assisted by the chorus, was a splendid effort and was well received.

Comedians Won Praise

Paul Watkins was cast as Percy Perkins, advertising agent for Barlow's Borden Baked Bean Company. We have seen Mr. Watkins a number of times in local entertainments. His role last night was peculiarly suited to his talents and we have never seen any local performer receive the approbation accorded to Mr. Watkins last night. If he should ever decide to go on the professional stage we predict he will achieve great success.

H. J. Rodgers as Zach Morgan, a chronic patient and Helen Harney as his wife, also suffering, were great. That word expresses it. Their Futurist Fox Trot was a scream and brought down the house.

Helen Strandberg as Mrs. Frances Hemingway, a young widow, had a lot of work to do. She was equal to all the demands made upon her. She was especially well received in her solo with the boys of the chorus and in her duet with Mr. Shaw.

E. A. Rohlfman as proprietor of the Sleepy Hollow Hotel and E. J. Christopher as proprietor of the Liberty Hall Hotel, were well up in their roles and gave a good interpretation of rival hotel keepers.

Glenn Skinner as Sheriff Koppem was an ideal country officer, star, tobacco, and chin whiskers. Mr. Skinner during the time he was on the stage produced some good comedy.

Harry Obermeyer played the role of Detroit Charlie. It was however, in his number Kid Days that he won applause. Mr. Obermeyer was assisted by the kid chorus and was compelled to respond to several encores.

The Dance Medley

One of the hits of the show was the Charlie Chaplin number. This was so funny that the members were called back several times. Virginia Skinner was the soloist. One of the pleasing features of the evening was the Dance Medley Divertissement given by Miss Willella Miller and George E. Shaw. Miss Miller has had considerable stage experience and their dancing was such as would do credit to any professional performance.

Sue Sweeney, in her number "How Everything Little Thing in Dixie," did admirable work. Her dancing was especially graceful and she was recalled several times.

Edna Hackett who was soloist for the Butterfly Girls looked charming and sang sweetly. Her number was finished with a clever dance and she was compelled to respond to encores until she was nearly exhausted.

Harold Gay took the part of Bruno, a hotel porter. Mr. Gay played the part with good judgment and handled the baggage entrusted to his care with the abandon of one who had spent many years in the service.

The chorus was well trained and sang and danced well. The orchestra under the direction of Olive Smith did good work. The chorus as it appeared in the various numbers was composed of the following:

Chorus Members

Dixie Number—Lydia Hunt, Lulu Bell, Goldsmith, Frances Williams, Florence Cox, Mary Cosgriff, Louise Gobert, Helen Bennett, Mary Lyons, Helen Whitmer, Mary Briggs, Ida Widmayer, Loretta Pipenbring, Zella Benson, Harriett Dunlap, Mary Ator, Frances Leck, Sara Morton, Estala Bingman, Dicy Dunlap, Opal Brown, Alma Gibbs, Helen Sweeney, Ethel Lucas.

Butterflies—Ruth Hackett, Thelma Walker, Aline Fitch, Helen Struck, Helen Jackson, Gladys Knapp, Capitola Beebe, Genevieve Wilson.

Kid Days—Helen Jackson, Helen Sorrells, Helen Bennett, Ursula Fawcett, Leon Dawson, Hilda Ator, Catherine Parker, Louise Struck, Helen Whitmer, Mary Gaul.

Special Dance Number—Helen Sweeney, Helen Morrie, Helen Sorrells, Zella Benson.

Piration Number—Thomas Hayden, Frank Merrill, Ralph Woodley, James Barnes, Fred Stewart, Richard Reynolds, John Lane, Lee Davis, Harold Dunlap, Paul Strawn, William Floreth.

Patriotic Girls—Martha Shaub, Vivian Wyatt, Lena Large, Fay Carroll, LaViga Owens, Hazel Henderson, Louise Mehlhausen, Mildred Miller, Marjorie McNamara, Lella Green.

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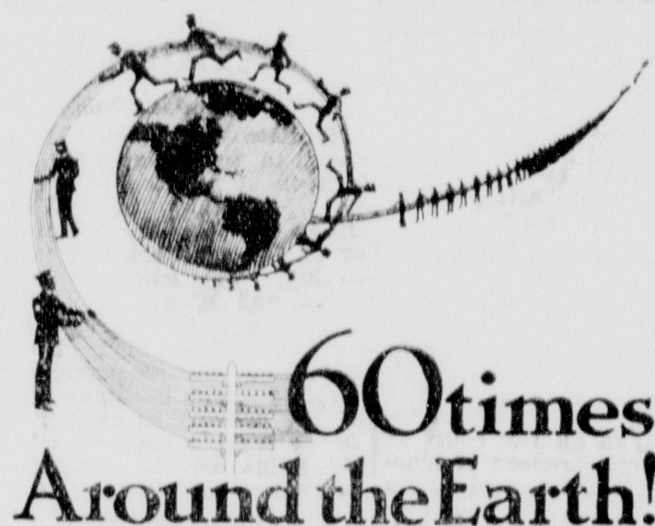
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Three Senior Pupils of Miss Constance Heard by Good Sized Audience—Dr. Harker Returns from Meeting of Chicago Society of Women's College.

An excellent expression recital was given before an audience in Music Hall Monday evening, in spite of the other attractions in the city was very large. The original program included five numbers but the illness of two speakers shortened the program somewhat. Each of the young women who read, all senior students of Miss Constance, manifested a high order of ability and each was greeted by rounds of hearty applause. The program:

"Cupid, the College Chum," a cutting from "At Good Old Sivas" by George Fitch—Miss Eleanor Shirrell.

Monsieur Beaucaire, Act I, Tarkington—Miss Marceline Armstrong.

"Her Husband's Wife," Thomas—Miss Hazel Ingram.

Chicago Alumnae Met

Dr. Joseph R. Harker, president of the college, returned Monday evening from Chicago, where he attended the annual luncheon and business meeting of the Chicago society of Illinois Woman's College. The luncheon was held Saturday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at the LaSalle hotel, with forty alumnae and former students in attendance. Miss Emma March, the retiring president, was in the chair. The officers elected:

President—Mrs. John R. Thompson.

Secretary—Mrs. Clara Dill Dodge.

Conroy.

Mrs. Thompson is the wife of the proprietor of the well known chain of Thompson restaurants. Her maiden name was Rose S. Holloway and she was graduated in 1885. The oldest alumna present was Mrs. George Selden Smith, who was graduated in 1856 as Miss Mary Maus.

The Chicago society has been holding a fellowship dinner the last Saturday in each month. The Narcissus room at Marshall Field's has been reserved for this purpose and attendance at each of the luncheons has been good.

The Orchestra Concert

The next event of general interest at the college will be the annual concert of I. W. C. orchestra, Thursday evening at Music Hall.

INTRODUCE TESTIMONY
TO IDENTIFY BONES

SANTA FE, N. M., April 16.—Testimony to identify the bones found in the mountains near Glorieta, N. M., as those of Clyde D. Armour of Sioux City, Iowa, was introduced today in the trial in district court of Elbert W. Blanchett accused of murdering Armour. A skull, said by the prosecution to be the one found in the mountains, was offered in evidence and was identified as Armour's by Dr. E. J. Dewalt, a Sioux City dentist, who made the identification by the dental work.

PLACE LAND AT DISPOSAL
OF NAVAL AUTHORITIES

Great Lake, Ill., April 16.—Fifty acres of land adjoining the United States Naval Training Station here was placed at the disposal of the navy authorities by the Chicago and Northwestern railway today. A total of 217 acres in addition to the reservation proper has been made available for training purposes in a similar manner.

SENDS LETTER TO EMPLOYEES.

Chicago, April 16.—Hale Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, has written a letter to each of the 50,000 employees of the system asking them to give their whole attention to supporting the government thru their present labors and by such individual efforts as they may deem necessary outside their work.

REPORT SUSPECTED CASES
OF INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—Five suspected cases of infantile paralysis two at Smithfield, two at Mount City and one at Peoria, were reported to the state board of health today. Dr. C. S. Nelson, an inspector of the department, was sent to investigate.

THORNBRED HORSES
BATTLE; ONE KILLED

Louisville, Ky., April 16.—Free lance, by Imp Alvecot, out of Merry Heart, winner of the Latonia derby in 1912, was killed in a battle with Ralph, another thorbred, at Bshford Manor, the home of George J. Lon, his owner, near here yesterday. Mr. Long, it was said, had refused \$25,000 for the animal.

TO MAKE SHOES OF
SHARK SKINS

New York, April 16.—A cargo of 1,000 shark skins which will be used instead of leather in shoe manufacturing arrived here today from Cuba. Experiments with these skins are said to have produced satisfactory results.

QUOTES ARTIST
ON PARK MONUMENTS

Does Not Believe That Shaft in Center of Parks Is Best Plan of Ornamentation.

A citizen who has the greatest respect for old soldiers but who does not favor the placing of a monument in Central Park, has sent to the Journal the following, taken from a book on parks, their designing, equipment and use, written by George Burnap, for six years landscape architect of public buildings and grounds in Washington, D. C.

Hero Worship Versus Park Ideals.

"In America, we have the horrid habit of placing an equestrian statue to some war hero or other in the exact center of every park, making it the pivotal point of the park like the pin of a pin-wheel. As a forerunner of this, the design of new parks very frequently takes a radial form to provide for the future occupant, like preparing a tomb against the inevitable day. It is hard to say in such case which is worse, the park with the statue or the park in readiness for it. A radial design without its central motive seems always held in suspense, and suggests the house awaiting a tenant.

"The recognized circumstances that most of our parks usually sooner or later 'accept' a statue has resulted in the perpetration of the old geometrical pattern of the gardeners which obviously provides a congenial lodging point at the centre for a monument. Those who have to use a park daily in passing to their work and those obligated to keep up the appearance of such parks know that a geometrical pattern of walk line provides little else than the aforementioned, and as for useful walks or lawns that can be kept from trespass paths, such a design is worse than nil. Finally, and here is another instance wherein the last argument might well be the first, a park is a park and should not be made in to a setting for a statue. Even a large park loses its peaceful character when paraded with bronze warriors on rearing horses."

MATRIMONIAL

Spink-Sackman

Wallace Spink and Miss Ethel Sackman were married Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Earl M. Spink, 223 Westmaster street, the Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church, officiating. The engagement of Mr. Spink and Miss Sackman was well known to their friends but no date for the wedding had been made known and the ceremony came as a surprise. Miss Sackman had resigned her position as cashier for C. J. Depepe & Co. several days before and Mr. Spink arrived Saturday from Lexington, Ky., where he was employed by Swift & Co.

The ceremony was a quiet one, being witnessed by the family of the groom, Mrs. Charles Butler, sister of the bride, and Mr. Butler, and by Miss Vivian Whitmer. The bride was arrayed in a suit of dark blue. After the ceremony the young people took an evening Washburn train for St. Louis, going by way of Decatur. Mr. Spink was transferred from Lexington and will now travel for the East St. Louis branch of Swift & Co. He and his bride will make their home in St. Louis.

The bride has been a resident of Jacksonville for three years or more and has a host of friends, who will extend wishes for the best that life affords. She came to this city from Astoria and was graduated from Brown's Business college.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spink, 1004 West Lafayette avenue, and was graduated from Jacksonville high school. He attended Illinois college, where he was well known for prowess on the gridiron. A young man of wide popularity, he taken to his new home the good wishes and congratulations of many friends.

CO. B SOLDIER IN
TROUBLE AT LOUISIANA.

A Post Dispatch telegram from Louisiana is as follows:

Louisiana, Mo., April 14.—Private John McCann of Company B, Fifth Illinois Infantry, was arrested this afternoon for pulling down an American flag in front of Police Judge Prettyman's office and tearing it up. He was taken to the jail and divested of his uniform. He was said to be under the influence of liquor. Company B is guarding the Chicago & Alton bridge across the Mississippi river at this place.

About twenty members of the company this evening went to the jail where McCann saluted and kissed the flag. The captain of the company has asked for a dishonorable discharge for McCann. McCann is liable to imprisonment at Leavenworth for from one to fourteen years.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Ellsworth Wells to W. W. Mumbower, lot in Chambers' 2nd addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

HISTORY OF MEDICINE

The Morgan County Medical Society Will Be Fifty Years Old In May.

Anyone who has information about any of the early doctors of this county, or of any Medical Meetings or Societies prior to 1866, will confer a favor by sending it to Dr. Walter Frank, secretary of the Morgan County Medical Society, 209 Ayers Bank Building, and it will be edited for this column.

THE SEPTEMBER MEETING

The members naturally brought to the September meeting the experiences of the hot days and nights of July and August with their prevalence of dysentery and summer complaint. The first order after the transaction of routine business was a discussion of the subject of "Acute Dysentery" by Dr. David Prince. He presented an apparatus for the injection of certain drugs by hydrostatic pressure. Dr. C. T. Wilbur who had recently returned from medical service in the army of the Civil War and others advocated the use of Epsom salts in these cases. With characteristic positiveness Dr. Prince declared that "he had tried its (epsom salts) efficacy with very unfavorable results" and remarked that "if the Lord would forgive him for its use on that occasion he would never try it again." This declaration sounds strange and causes a ripple of amusement among those who knew Dr. Prince's fondness for the use of this remedy. In 1865, with Dr. English drifted the discussion back to "Asiatic Cholera" which was then epidemic in Carrollton, Ill., which led Dr. H. K. Jones to declare that he did not believe there was or ever had been Asiatic Cholera at Carrollton or any place else in the United States and he made an argument to show that there was no way in which the disease could have been transported from far away Asia to the United States. Dr. David Prince came back at him by declaring that the disease was introduced into this country thru the failure of our na-

tional quarantine and its spread was promoted by the foolish prohibition of the sale of vegetables. He concluded his discussion by taking a fling at the quack medicine vendors saying "want of vegetables produces constipation—relief is immediately sought in some 'cholera cordial'—these generally increased the difficulty and the individuals sometimes die with empty bottles of quack remedies in their pockets."

At the afternoon session the regular order consisted of a carefully prepared paper by Dr. C. T. Wilbur on "Idiocy and its relation to the Medical Profession" which was published in the Chicago Medical Recorder. Dr. Wilbur had been recently appointed superintendent of the State "Asylum for Feeble Minded Children" in Jacksonville. Dr. P. G. Gillett, superintendent of the "Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb" (Illinois State School for the Deaf) and other interested citizens had secured an appropriation from the legislature for establishing this school which began its 1865 with four children and at the end of the year had over 100 children. At that time it was removed to Lincoln.

After the discussion of Dr. Wilbur's paper Dr. Wm. S. Edgar brought up the subject of the uses of "Ergot." He had not been satisfied with the references made to this drug in the discussion a month ago and desired to correct some of the views expressed at that time. Just before adjournment Dr. David Prince brought in a patient with an "artificial eye" for exhibition to the members.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Farewell Party for
Dr. Widenham

Friends of Dr. J. C. Widenham who have been his table companions at the home of Miss Mapes on South Church street entertained last night in his honor. After attending a picture theatre the party went to the Peacock Inn for a supper. Then came a social hour and some speech making, with Hugh Green as toastmaster. Thomas Stevenson replied to the toast "Then You'll Remember Me" and Miss Fannie Wood's theme was "Deliver Us." Both of these were given in sprightly vein. Dr. Widenham responded graciously and with evident feeling. He is to leave Jacksonville today for his new home in California and made it very clear that altho he is going from Jacksonville, that he considers this the best city in the U. S. and that his affection to the city and his friends here will be of an undying kind. The company last night included in addition to those already mentioned Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Schaffnit, Miss Williams, Misses Irene Sandberg, Ruth Bailey, Caroline Taft, Carlisle Hopper, Fay Anderson, George Hollinger, Edwin Whitlock, Lloyd E. Sutherland and Norman J. Woolsey.

Monday Club Meets
With Miss Dimmitt

The Monday Conversation club met for a profitable session Monday afternoon with Miss Della Dimmitt, 821 West College avenue. "The Tariff" was the subject and this was introduced in interesting manner by the leader, Mrs. W. H. Hinrichsen of Alexander. Mrs. Hinrichsen was assisted by Miss Janette Powell, Miss F. H. Rowe, Miss Mary Johnston and Miss Mary Anderson. This was followed by a more general discussion, which was full of interest for all. During a pleasant social hour, refreshments were served by the hostess.

Birthday Surprise for
Miss Mary Patterson

Mrs. Mary Patterson was given a pleasant Sunday and the company of relatives and friends which gathered at the home on West Lafayette avenue enjoyed fully the anniversary dinner and the social afternoon which followed. Wednesday, April 18, is the 79th birthday of Mrs. Patterson, but Sunday was chosen for the observance as the more convenient day. In the decorations, pink and white carnations were used.

There were present Miss Martha Patterson and Ray Patterson, who make their home with their grandmother, Mrs. James Crum and son, Keith, of Girard; A. J. Boston and Miss Vivian Boston, Jacksonville, and the following from north and east of the city: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Deweese and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Patterson and son, Wilbur; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bacon and grandson, Edward Joy, and Samuel Wood.

CONSIDER MEANS OF
MAINTAINING COMMUNICATION

Indianapolis, Ind., April 16.—Representatives of Independent Telephone companies in Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio and Kentucky met here today to consider means of maintaining uninterrupted telephone communication over their lines in any emergency during the war.

RECEIVE MORE THAN TEN
THOUSAND APPLICATIONS.

London, April 16.—More than ten thousand applications have been made for admission to St. Paul's cathedral April 20 on the occasion of the service to be held in commemoration of the entrance of the United States into the war. The cathedral accommodates only 3,500 persons.

Y. M. C. A. FUND MONDAY
SHOWED STEADY GAIN

Two Hundred Dollars Reported During the Day Bring the Amount Needed Down to \$900—State Association Will Raise Fund for War Work.

The reports of Y. M. C. A. workers Monday showed additional subscriptions of \$202.50, bringing the total above \$3,100, or still \$290 short of the \$4,000 needed for the expense fund. The reports were made as follows: Rev. M. L. Pontius, for team B, \$96; H. J. Rodgers for team C, \$50; W. G. Goebel, for team I, \$35; boys' team, \$16.50; friend, \$5. Inasmuch as several of the best workers were not able Monday to solicit the results of the day are looked upon as very good. The solicitation will continue, if necessary thruout the week.

\$200,000 for the Work.

In no field has the Young Men's Christian Association proved of more value than in the military camps of the country. A campaign is to be begun soon in Illinois for \$335,000, of which sum \$300,000 will be expended for activity in camps of the army and national guard and \$35,000 of which will be used for the state association work. The campaign, which will be nation-wide will be to raise \$3,000,000. Three hundred thousand dollars is the Illinois apportionment. Jacksonville is in the Alton district, and Secretary Findley, who is on the committee responsible for the counties of Morgan, Cass and Scott will go to Alton soon to meet with state and district authorities.

TWENTY-TWO CITIES VOTE
ON LOCAL OPTION TODAY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 16.—"Wet" and "dry" campaigns in twenty-two Illinois cities which will vote tomorrow on the license or no license question were concluded to-night.

Among the largest cities voting are Danville, Carlinville, Pana, Morris and Havana. The campaigns have been lively in all these places.

INTERN AMERICAN WARSHIP.

Berlin, April 16.—via London, April 17.—Constantinople dispatches received here say the internment of the United States guard ship Scorpion at Constantinople was not an act of war against the United States, but was merely an act that Turkey would have been forced to take, even if she were herself neutral, against a warship of a belligerent nation.

ABOLISH ATHLETIC CONTESTS.

Galesburg, Ill., April 16.—Inter-collegiate athletic contests were abolished by vote of the faculty and students of Knox College today. The action was taken so that the men may devote more time to military training. Full credits will be awarded to students who leave college to enlist.

FOUR YARD EMPLOYEES KILLED.

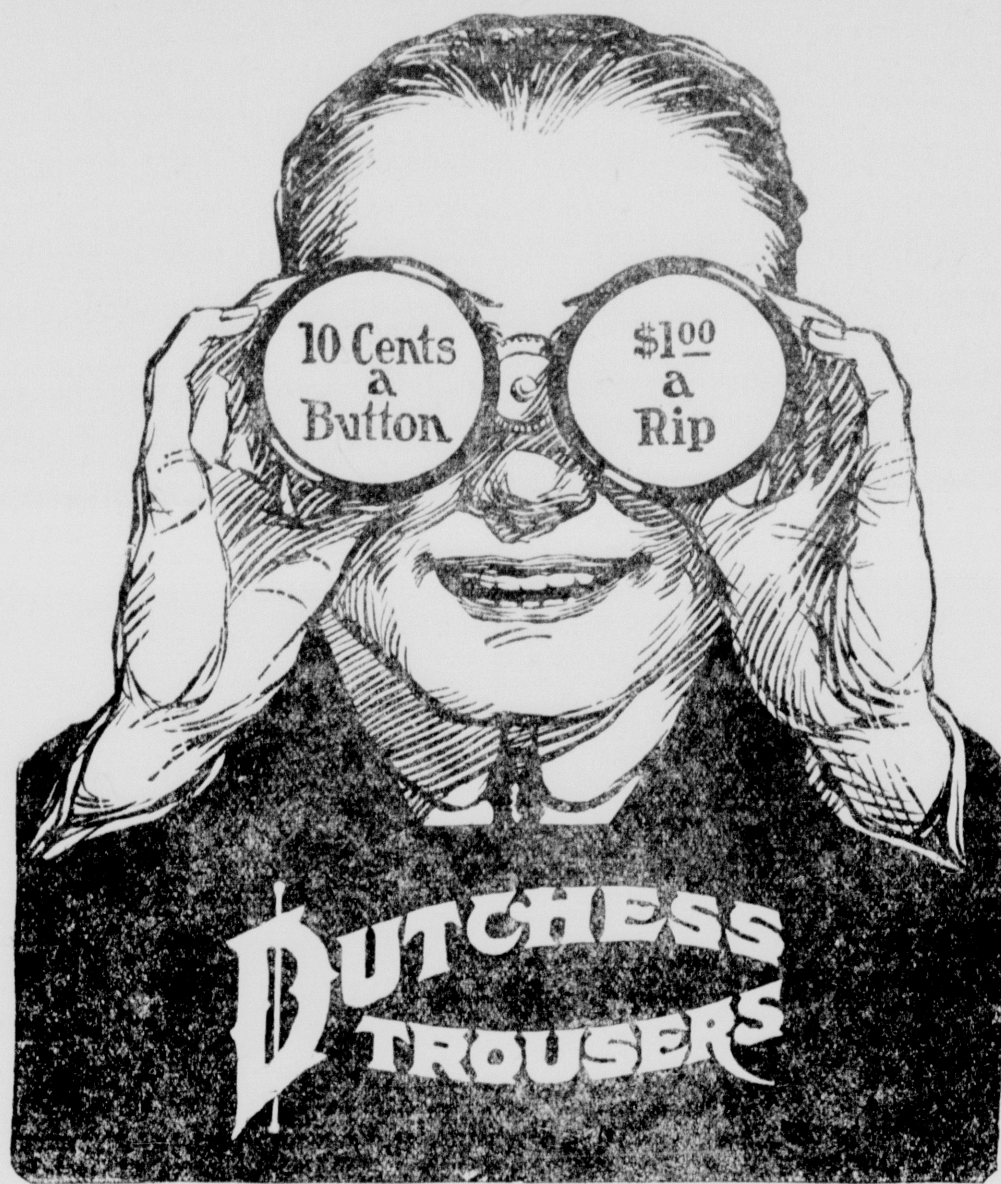
Sapulpa, Okla., April 16.—Four yard employees were instantly killed tonight when a switch engine backed into them while they were repairing a freight car.

JUDGE SMITH SEATED.

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—State Senator Elbert S. Smith of Springfield was seated formally as judge of the Seventh Judicial circuit of Illinois here today. Judge Smith, who succeeds the late Judge James A. Creighton, defeated Edmund Burke, former state's attorney of Sangamon county, at a special election in March.

HARBROOK GOES TO COLUMBUS

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—Robert Harbrook of Muscatine, Ia., a first baseman, was released tonight by the Chicago Americans to the Columbus club of the American association.



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DISCUSS BEGINNING
OF EUROPEAN WAR

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The beginning of the European war was discussed today before the United States supreme court in argument of a suit of New York banks for \$2,246,000 damages against the North German Lloyd-Liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, now at Boston in possession of federal authorities.

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The bank's counsel insisted that deviation from the voyage was unjustified until war actually had been declared.

JUDGE DISPERSES MOB.

Charlotteville, N. C., April 16.—Judge Dabney of the county court from the steps of the city jail tonight threatened punishment to a mob of 1,000 persons who threatened to lynch two negroes, and Robert Jones, held for the murder of a policeman. The mob dispersed.

BULK OF ESTATE
TO GO TO CHARITY

New York, April 16.—The bulk of the estate of James Buchanan "Diamond Jim" Brady, estimated at from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 will go to charity, it was learned after his funeral today. Mr. Brady's diamonds and other stones, valued at \$1,000,-

000 are to be distributed among his friends.

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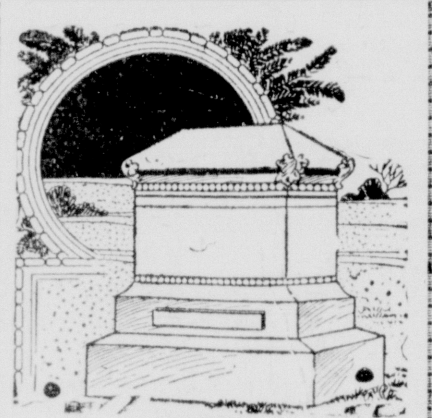
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ADOPTS CONFERENCE REPORT.

Washington, April 16.—The house adopted without change the conference report on the general deficiency appropriation bill which includes \$400,000,000 for war use as the president sees fit. The bill now goes to the house for signature.

PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of Mrs. Lillian Grier, probate was approved and the estate declared closed.



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Gallon can Peeled Peaches	35c
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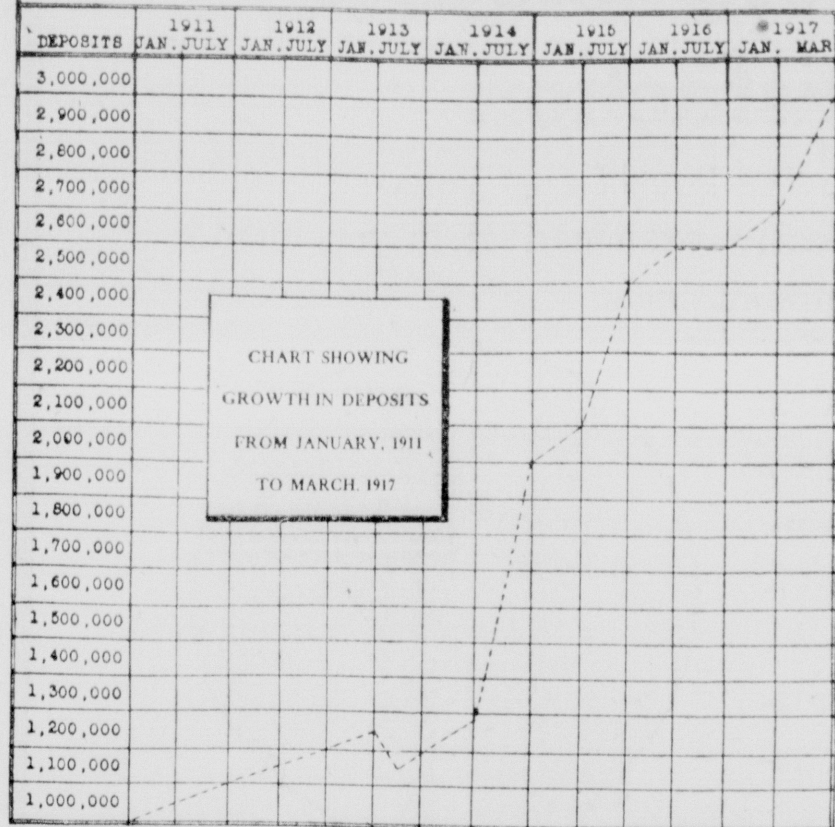
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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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REFERRER TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF BROTHER
New York, April 16.—John O. Rockefeller planned to leave New York today for Cleveland to attend the funeral of his brother, Frank Rockefeller, who died there yesterday unaccompanied after a quarrel the two had some years ago. William Rockefeller will accompany his brother to Cleveland, it was stated. The funeral is to be held there tomorrow.

SISTER BENJAMIN HARRISON DIES.
Ottumwa, Ia., April 16.—Mrs. Sarah Harrison Devin, sister of Benjamin Harrison, twenty third president of the United States, died at her home here today.

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MISS PHELPS GAVE PROGRAM IN BOSTON

Well Known Jacksonville Musician Appeared Before Musical Art Club.

On April 12, Miss Helen Phelps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Phelps of this city appeared in a concert of the Musical Art Club of Boston, Mass. Miss Phelps, who has been studying piano in Boston for several years, became a member of the Musical Art club two years ago. Each member must appear in concert once a year.

The club is composed of the best musicians in Boston and the applicant must first appear before the club in concert before being accepted into membership. Mrs. Beyer, who appeared on the program with Miss Phelps has recently signed a contract to sing with the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company. The program:

Piano
Lento Cyril Scott,
Irish Tune Grainger
Shepherd's Hey Grainger
Miss Helen Phelps
Songs
Dans La Forest Delibes
Aria, Oa! Non Giunge Bellini
Mrs. Ernestine Beyer
(J. Angus Winter, accompanist)
J'ai Pleure En Reve Hue
The Lament (Ben Hur) Chadwick
The Star Rogers
Miss Edith Rogers (Mr. Winter).
Piano
La Danse De Puck Debussy
Sarabande Debussy
Toccata Debussy
Miss Phelps
Songs
Vierge A La Creche Dell'acqua
Serenade Gounod
Si J'Avais Vos Ailes Messager

MURRAYVILLE

Mrs. Aaron Rule and Miss Maude Rimbey of Athensville spent Friday with Mrs. N. A. Blakeman and daughter, Miss Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Luke of Jacksonville were guests of Mrs. Luke's sister, Mrs. J. W. Gunn Friday night, and Saturday.

Miss Helen Dial of Jacksonville visited friends here the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Goodrich of White Hall and Carl Robinson of Jacksonville were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Rimbey.

Mrs. C. J. Vaughn of Jacksonville spent Sunday with home folk here.

Freddie Still is confined to his home this week being ill with the measles. S. F. Sooy and family and Miss Grace Jennings spent Sunday with relatives at Lowder. The trip was made with William Lovell's Ford car.

Misses Nellie and Mae Boylan of Jacksonville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blakeman.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Waters Saturday, April 14th, a daughter.

Mrs. J. E. Thompson Sunday with relatives at Roodhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. William Arnold and Mrs. Woods of near Athensville visited Mrs. Arnold's brother, G. T. Henry and family Saturday.

C. F. Wright and family of Jacksonville spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. W. B. Wright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hart of Franklin, M. W. Hart of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Topliff of Jacksonville and Jay Willard were visitors Sunday at the home of Mrs. George Hart and daughters.

Charles Smith of Manly spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Smith and sister, Miss Dora.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Briggs of Jacksonville were guests Sunday of relatives here.

C. E. Blakeman of Bloomington came Saturday to a week's visit with his wife and son, Byron and other relatives and friends.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mason has been quite ill the past week.

Mrs. Mary Gunn and son Claude and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiggins and daughter Lona Mae of Tallula spent Sunday with J. C. Richards and family.

Vivian Craigmile has sold his barber shop at Woodson.

Mrs. George Hart, who has been quite seriously ill for several weeks is convalescing slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carlson and N. C. Carlson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Richard Whewell and mother, Mrs. Emily Dicks at Manchester. Mrs. Dicks is in very poor health and Mrs. J. A. Carlson remained for a longer stay with her mother.

Mrs. John Burns visited her daughter, Mrs. Chester Blakeman Sunday. Rev. P. A. McCarty of Jacksonville will preach in the M. E. church here Sunday evening, April 22nd at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. E. B. Irwin has been on the sick list the past week.

Miss Mildred Wright spent Monday in the country looking after her music class for the summer.

Mrs. J. E. Wyatt, Mrs. Clara Crouse and daughter, Mrs. Marie Rowland of White Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Strang Saturday.

SUES FOR DAMAGE.
Thomas Gaul has filed a suit against Mrs. Margaret Colwell of Alexander thru his attorney, Willie N. Haigrove. In this case the complainant is asking for \$10,000 damages on the ground of defamation of character. The bill states that on a certain recent date that Mrs. Colwell referred to complainant as a man who had caused her husband's death. Fifteen years, or more ago Mr. Colwell was killed in a somewhat mysterious manner and it is Gaul's complaint that Mrs. Colwell recently publicly charged him with responsibility for the crime.

NOTICE F. O. E.
Your presence is requested at the meeting, April 18, 1917, for the purpose of taking action on amendments to By-Laws.

Frank D. Kelly, W. P. F. W. Doherty, Secretary.

Lillian Harvey, myself, connecte

F. J. Waddell

ENTENTE NOT WAGING WAR OF EXTERMINATION

Baron Denys-Cochin Interviewed On Blockade Policy Against Germany—Denies Responsibility for Continuance of Bloodshed.

Paris, April.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Baron Denys-Cochin, under secretary of the Foreign Office in charge of blockade questions, in a talk with American correspondents on the entente blockade policy against Germany, said:

"Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, and Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, the German foreign secretary, in their recent declarations sought to throw upon the entente the responsibility for a continuance of bloodshed. They talked of a blockade which, it was asserted, was causing the death of women and children. The entente is not at all responsible for a situation which it did not create and which grows out of the most unqualified aggression. The blockade, such as the Germans understand it, does not resemble in any way that which we have organized and which we are pursuing.

"M. Zimmermann complains of the inhuman extension Great Britain is making in the North Sea war zone, that is to say the laying of mines to bar the way of the submarines, but who is it who started to lay mines? It was not the Allies but Germany. England, before the war, notably in 1907 at the Hague, showed herself hostile to the use of submarine mines. Germany demanded the right to use mines, in terms, furthermore, which would hardly permit one to force the use which she would make of them. From the early days of the war Germany spread mines in the North Sea and elsewhere around the English coast in order to intercept the commercial routes. The Allied admiralties first announced her fact in order to warn peaceful navigation and then gave notice of retaliatory measures which they regretfully announced they would have to take. The laying of mines in open sea assuredly is destructive to the liberty of the sea. It affects the innocent as much as the neutrals.

"M. Zimmermann attributes to the entente the project of waging a war of extermination, not only against the armies of the Central Powers but also against women and children. The Entente Powers have never had such black designs. They want to obtain reparation for the past, guarantees for the future. They desire to obtain them with the least loss and suffering possible. They asked only to maintain peace, attacked, they were obliged to conquer that peace. They hope to accomplish it at the lowest possible cost; they wish to compel their adversaries to yield. They have no desire to exterminate them. They do not profess, as does the German manual of instruction to officers, that 'humanitarian considerations such as those respecting care of persons and their property can only come into question if the nature and aim of the war permits of it and that the only real humanity rests frequently in the employment of severity.'

"France does not believe that she is required to renounce the use of pressure and constraint, the legitimacy of which has been admitted by all states and notably by Germany. M. Zimmermann complains that the women and children suffer from the obstacles placed by the Allies to the feeding of Germany. Bismarck, did not refuse an armistice in 1870 asked by Jules Favre because he did not wish to allow Paris to be re-provisioned which would prolong the time necessary to reduce the city by famine? And the city of Paris was it not compelled by famine only to capitulate in 1871. Is not a blockade which stops all communication by sea recognized in procedure of war as lawful?

"M. Zimmermann reproaches the Entente for injuring indirectly women and children who suffer from the dearth of food, who would not suffer any more if Germany would resign itself to yield as Paris did in 1871. But M. Zimmermann, has he ever reproached Germany for having quite directly injured women and children of France and Belgium massacred by German troops at the beginning of the war or for having put them in front of the armies to serve as a shield? Has he protested against the deportations which have caused the revival of slavery in a country occupied by the German armies?

"As to this German submarine campaign, it is quite wrongfully that one claims to give it the name of a blockade. The expression is based on an ambiguity. There is nothing in common between a blockade regulated by international law and the measures taken by Germany. Germany destroys systematically the vessels and their cargoes without regard for the lives of the passengers and crews. In case of error the crime is irreparable. The Entente operates quite the contrary. She limits herself to confiscating or stopping merchandise coming from or going to Germany. There is in all cases the guaranty of the jurisdiction of the prize court.

"Germany defends the principle of the liberty of the sea in sending to the bottom of the seas neutral as well as enemy merchant ships. The Entente tries amid difficulties to prevent the provisioning of the enemy and to maintain respect for non-offensive navigation. However, rigorous measures may appear its solutions at times, those rigorous have in view at least not but material objects; they stop before persons and incline before the exigencies of humanity.

"If we accept the notion of the old blockade, that which the Allies' blockade approaches the most, can it not be admitted that it is nearly effective? There is not one ship in fifty that succeeds in avoiding the vigilance of our cruisers.

"As to the pretended German blockade by submarines it doesn't stop one ship in a hundred; the statistics of entries into our ports and the ports of our Allies prove that eloquently. The effect most evident of the so-called blockade which Germany has pretended to establish has

been to show, once again the radical difference of the principles of the two groups of belligerents. It is this which cannot fail immediately to strike the neutrals.

"No one has been surprised to see President Wilson pledge himself to the resolute policy of which you are aware. This policy was one which could be expected on the part of the eminent jurist who knew so well how to characterize and stigmatize the doctrines and principles of our enemies.

LATE ARRIVALS OF GEORGETTE CREPE BLOUSES—IN ALL COLORS FROM \$3.95 TO \$9.50 AT HERMAN'S.

ELECTION TODAY IN SOUTH JACKSONVILLE

The regular election to select a president and board of trustees for the village of South Jacksonville will be held today. Two tickets are in the field but the main contest seems to be for the office of president. On the citizens ticket Charles H. Hackett is the candidate while L. O. Berryman is the candidate on the people's ticket.

SPECIAL DISPLAY OF NEW SPRING MODELS—TAILORED, DRESS AND SPORT HATS. SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

GAVE TALK ON BIRDS.

The pupils of Miss Laura Hammon of the Open Air school were treated to an enjoyable bird talk Monday forenoon by Fred Barr, who had with him a number of hand-colored prints. Mr. Barr spoke of a number of the more common birds, describing the habits of each and giving with accuracy a number of the bird calls.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Ralph C. White, Champaign; Corinne Prepenbrink, Jacksonville.

PARENTS AND TEACHERS AT DAVID PRINCE SCHOOL

Moving Picture Machine Demonstration Proved Very Interesting—By-Laws and Constitution Adopted.

A large audience gathered at the evening session in the David Prince building last evening to enjoy a meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association. The chief feature of the occasion was an exhibition by Mr. Pease of the moving picture machine already described. In the Journal. Several reels were displayed greatly to the delight of a large number of children who fully entered into the spirit of the occasion and applauded the good things liberally.

After the first reel had been displayed the president, Mrs. Bradley, called the audience to order, and asked Mrs. Pyatt to read the minutes of the last meeting, which was done.

The committee on by-laws and constitution reported mentioning a few changes they had made respecting dues, reduced to ten cents a year, and meeting nights, second Friday evening of each month. It was also decided not to federate with the state organization.

Miss Lena Hopper then sang with great acceptance a solo, "Beloved, Now It Is Mine." (Francis Alford). Miss Edna Wardhaugh accompanied.

Mr. Pease then made a short address explaining the many advantages possessed by the machine he was exhibiting, its price, adaptability to any place where an ordinary electric current is available, the great variety of its work, etc. Miss Laura White, principal of the school, also spoke along the same line, mentioning the great benefit to be derived by pupils who have access to such a machine. Slips of paper were then distributed through the audience, those receiving them being requested to join the association and a goodly number sent in their names.

Another reel of pictures was shown

and then the flag was thrown on the screen and with Miss Hopper leading and Miss Clara Smith at the piano the audience rose and sang, "Star Spangled Banner" with a will.

ALEXANDER

Norman Dewees, five miles north of here, has removed to Jacksonville and the Dewees farm has been leased by Otis Leengle, who came to this community from Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Corrington and daughter, near Arnold, are visiting friends here.

William Becker and family were visitors Sunday in Waverly.

George Snyder of Franklin was a visitor here Sunday, coming in his Maxwell car.

Miss Mary Johnston of I. W. C. faculty, Jacksonville, was a guest Sunday of Mrs. W. H. Hinrichsen.

Miss Annie Hinrichsen was here from Springfield to spend the day with her mother.

Miss Harriet Six was in Nortonville Sunday, the guest of Miss Marie Fuqua.

Miss Katherine Kaiser, John Colwell and Miss Anna Colwell were visitors in Springfield Monday.

Mrs. Alice Thompson and daughter Jane of Jacksonville spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson.

I. W. C. ORCHESTRA CONCERT.

Carl F. L. Jensen, soloist, Music Hall, Thursday, April 19, 8:15. Tickets 25c at Brown's Music store.

WILL BEGIN PASTORATE SUNDAY
Rev. T. G. Shaw, who has accepted the call to the pastorate of Pisgah Presbyterian church, is expected with his household goods sometime the latter part of this week. He and his family will occupy his manse at Orleans. Rev. Mr. Shaw will begin his work at Pisgah church next Sunday and will hold services both morning and evening.

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FLAG FOR CAR SHOPS HAS BEEN RECEIVED

Mayor Wilson, C. S. Branch and H. H. Bancroft Will Take Part in Patriotic Program When Flag is Raised

George W. Imgrund received the flag yesterday which is to be raised by the employees at the C. P. & St. L. shops. The flag is 10 by 20 feet and is an all wool standard United States flag.

The flag was purchased by subscriptions of the employees of the shops and will be raised with appropriate ceremonies, either Thursday or Friday, the exact time to be announced later.

It will float from a flag staff on the roof of the machine shops. The distance to the top of the roof of the shop building is 90 feet and the pole is 45 feet high.

The committee in charge of the program for the flag raising is composed of Charles Cobb, chairman, Frank McKenna, Charles Pires, John Hagel and William Douglas.

It was announced last night that a flag car will be placed in a good location which will be used as a platform. The car will be decorated with bunting and merican flags. W. C. Hurst, general manager of the C. P. & St. L. will act as chairman and addresses will be made by Bluford Wilson, president of the railroad, C. S. Branch, superintendent of Motive power and H. H. Bancroft. The flag will be carried by twenty little girls. It is hoped that the high school band can be secured to furnish music and also that a number of singers will be present. The employees

of the shops thru the committee extend a cordial invitation to the public to be present at the ceremonies.

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FAREWELL SERVICE FOR REV. RAPHAEL HANCOCK

A well attended union service was held at Second Christian church Sunday afternoon as a farewell for the Rev. Raphael Hancock who has closed his pastorate at that church and will take a charge elsewhere. The Rev. H. H. DeWitte, of Second Baptist church, was master of ceremonies and the Rev. E. L. Scruggs, of Mt. Enory Baptist church, spoke. After several special musical numbers, Rev. Mr. Fisher, of Bethel A. M. E. church, gave the farewell address.

ROODHOUSE BOYS ENLIST

Roodhouse Record: Wilbur Ribelin, George Arnold, Verne Stuart and Will Mellen, all high school boys, went to Louisiana, Mo., Monday morning for the purpose of enlisting in the Illinois National Guard which has a post there guarding the C. & A. bridge across the Mississippi river. Their enlistment, will be of course, be subject to passing the required physical examination.

J. M. Ribelin accompanied by his son, Wilbur, the latter being but sixteen years old, altho a man in every physical proportion. Alvin Gibson will go to Springfield tomorrow. He is seeking admission in the U. S. navy.

CHRIS SPIETH'S BODY FOUND IN WOODS

Death of Father of Jacksonville Men Now Being Investigated—Disappeared Last September.

The body of Chris Spieth, father of Otto and Fred Spieth was found in a timber adjoining his farm, according to a telegram from Otto Spieth from Tigerton to the Journal Monday evening.

Word was received by Otto and Fred Spieth Sunday that their father had been found but from the wording of the telegram they did not know when they left here whether he was dead or alive.

The disappearance of the elder Spieth last September was a nationwide sensation. He was a well known and industrious farmer residing near Tigerton and was not known to have an enemy. Last September he left the house one morning with a corn knife and a rope and went to a field to cut corn. That was the last his family saw of him. When he did not return the family became alarmed and began a search.

Country-Wide Search. The search for a time was in the immediate vicinity. When no trace was discovered it extended thruout the nation and officials in many cities in the United States joined in the search.

Nothing was learned of the missing man and it seemed as tho the earth had literally opened up and swallowed him. The family, however, did not cease searching. During the winter whenever the snow left the ground the search continued.

The corn knife and rope that Mr. Spieth had when he left the house were found in the field a few days after his disappearance. Searchers were of the opinion that they were not there when the field was first examined. This led to a suspicion of foul play.

Detectives were placed on the case and some parties living in the vicinity were placed under surveillance. Finally it seemed that everything depended on the finding of the body.

The telegram sent by Otto Spieth said that the coroner's jury had not as yet returned a verdict. However, it is not known whether the body showed any marks of violence. The receipt of further news from Mr. Spieth will be awaited with interest here.

WOULD RAISE A CAVALRY REGIMENT

Capt. J. T. Snigg Seeks Aid From Morgan County in Organized For War Needs—Regiment Would Enlist for Actual Service

Capt. John T. Snigg, connected with the state's attorney's office in Springfield, is making plans for the organization of a volunteer regiment of Illinois cavalry. Capt. Snigg was until recently captain of troop D, First Illinois cavalry, and has had six years' experience in that branch of the service in the national guard. He saw service with his command on the Mexican border. It is proposed to have plans so laid that in case the need comes this regiment can be quickly organized.

Regiment From Eight Counties

Associated with Capt. Snigg in arranging for the proposed organization are a number of Springfield men with military experience. The proposal is that this regiment shall be raised from Sangamon, Morgan, Montgomery, Christian, Macoupin, Madison, Cass, Menard, Logan and Monroe. In a letter received yesterday from Capt. Snigg, he said Jacksonville will be the recruiting center for the contribution that this county may make to the proposed regiment. It is Capt. Snigg's desire to get in touch with some active young man here who will undertake to create the necessary local interest.

Illinois' Fine Record

In commenting upon the cavalry regiment proposal, Capt. Snigg said recently:

"It is intended to be done only in case of actual hostilities, with something else in sight beside guard duty," said Capt. Snigg. "We intend to appeal particularly to the class of men whose responsibilities are such that they would not care to tie themselves up for guard and patrol duty.

"We should have a large enough standing army for that kind of duty without calling on the long suffering, much abused, self-sacrificing National Guard, calling them from business and families to do police duty. In the Civil war Illinois furnished seventeen regiments of cavalry. Why can't it be done again in case of need?

"We would appeal to the young farmer lad who understand the care of the horse and are perfectly at home on the horse's back. The young country lads who were in the troop on the border made mighty good soldiers, cared for their mounts in good shape and were very amenable to discipline.

A FLAG FOR THE CHURCH.

Sunday morning Rev. R. O. Post suggested the propriety of having a flag draped over the organ in the Congregational church. He said that no matter what a person's views regarding the propriety of war might have been heretofore it was all a thing of the past and the duty of now was to stand firmly by the government. As an indication of that determination he thought a national flag would be very appropriate and named Mrs. C. E. Black, member of the Daughters of the Revolution, Miller Weir, head of the charities association of the city, as a special committee to have charge of the matter.

ON SHIP ARIZONA

Mrs. Charles Leidy, 883 North Prairie street, received word Monday that her son, Willard, has been assigned for duty on the battleship Arizona, U. S. N.

MONUMENT QUESTION IS STILL UNSETTLED

Council Wishes More Facts Before Granting Use of Central Park—Rids Will Be Asked for South Main, East and West State Street Pavements—More Sidewalk Ordinances.

At a meeting of the city council Monday morning the communication filed by the Monument association referring to the resolution adopted recently was received and placed on file. This action means that at the present time the council is unwilling to grant the use of Central Park for the erection of the proposed monument. S. W. Nichols was present to speak in behalf of the monument association. Ordinances for sidewalks on Ashland avenue, Hardin avenue, East College, Allen avenue and East North street were read and objections were heard from residents of South Clay avenue to proposed sidewalk on that street.

Straw Vote Suggested

When a communication from the monument association was read Mr. Martin stated that he would be unwilling to vote to have the monument erected in the park unless the question had been submitted to the people at an election. He did not mean a regular election but having the people express their wishes and ideas in an advisory way.

Mr. Widmayer stated that at the recent conference he had suggested that the question might be submitted to the people at the school election which is to be held Saturday, April 21. But at that time some one objected on the ground that the question is one for the whole county to decide. Mr. Cox expressed the view that it was a question for the council itself to decide.

Mr. Vasconcellos took the position that he has always held, to the effect that the council would be in much better position for action if some idea were given as to the kind of monument to be erected. He believes that if some sketch or draft of a monument of the type favored is presented to the council that they would have a much better opportunity of judging how it would look in relation to the remainder of the square.

Want to see Plans

Mayor Rodgers has all along taken the position that there a considerable number of business men who are opposed to having a monument in the center of the business district. As the granting of the use of the park for this purpose will be for all time the mayor is opposed unless a considerable number of people express their preference for the park location. He also expressed the view that Mr. Vasconcellos' idea was worth while and that the council would be in much better position for the decision if some plan or picture of the proposed improvement could be presented. Mr. Vasconcellos had previously stated that he was very much of the belief that any monument erected should have at least one room in it for memorial purposes where mementoes of the war of the Rebellion can be housed, with any other articles of historic value.

This thought seemed to meet the approval of all the council.

City Attorney Reeve, who was present at the session, expressed opinions along the same line, favoring the monument with at least some sort of a memorial room included in the plan.

Object to Taking up Brick Walks. A petition was read from property owners on South Clay avenue stating that they had brick walks in front of their property in good condition and did not feel that they should be required to put down concrete walks. This petition was signed by Mrs. Martha Happy, Mrs. M. Topping, L. H. Brainer, Louis Boyd, Henry Muehlhausen, John Blue, F. G. Haese, Mary Hanners and Charles Holley. Mr. Muehlhausen, who was present, said he was not the owner of the property mentioned but that it belonged to his father's estate and he said that the walk had been put down within comparatively few years and is in good condition. W. E. Happy spoke along the same line.

Another communication signed by practically the same property owners was read stating that they would refuse to comply with the council's notice unless compelled to do so. Mayor Rodgers presented a list of streets on which notices have been sent to property owners that ordinances are in force requiring that they build sidewalks. The list includes East State street, North Diamond, North Pine, South East, Mathers, South Diamond, South Sandy, Lorton, North Church, West Court, Bissell, West College street, East Independence avenue, South Clay avenue. The ordinances were given first reading for sidewalks on Ashland avenue, East College avenue, Allen Avenue, Hardin avenue and East North street.

Repairing Pavement

Mr. Cox made mention of the repair work on the square pavement which is now in progress and said it was impossible to secure any more suitable brick locally. He was authorized to order a carload which will be used for general repair purposes and will make it possible to patch a number of pavements now in bad condition. Mr. Vasconcellos said that there is a force of men in his department busy fixing valve boxes on West State street preparatory to paving there. He suggested that notice should be given to all property owners on streets which are to be paved to make connections before the work is done. Most of these connections have already been made but it is essential that all be done so that the pavement will not have to be disturbed.

Mayor Rodgers said that on account of a certain agreement made by the Jacksonville Railway & Light Co. that it would be possible to advertise within a comparatively short time for the new pavement on South Main street, East State street and West State street. On the suggestion of Mr. Cox the pay of several men in his department was increased from \$52 a month to \$60 a month. Following this Mayor Rodgers mentioned the case of the public engineer whose time is now wholly taken in public work. His salary was increased from \$75 per month to \$120.

Most Argument for Monument. S. W. Nichols in addressing the council in behalf of the monument association said in part:

"I come on behalf of the veterans residing in Morgan county to make a plea to the city council of Jacksonville to locate the proposed monument in the center of Central park. I wish it distinctly understood that the veterans do not demand anything nor have any thought of bulldozing anyone, but simply make an earnest plea that their wishes might be granted. They feel that they were good enough to fight for the saving of the country, to risk their lives and all in the world they held most dear that the country might be saved for succeeding generations and they regard this request as every way most reasonable.

"Besides all that, when the tax was voted by the people of the county the general understanding was that the monument would be in the center of the square and that was taken for granted. The old soldiers are well nigh to a man earnest in asking this from the city council. And they are very sure that it would be the preference of a majority of the residents of the whole county if that preference could be ascertained. A straw vote of the city would hardly be fair for this is a county enterprise. The old soldiers want a monument where it will be seen by every one entering the city. Were it located at Duncan Park it would be seen by but a small fraction of the people coming to town and all others would have to make a special trip to see it. The same may be said of any location aside from the public square.

"The veterans feel very urgently on this matter; one and all of them and feel that a reasonable request is being denied them. The center of the park is no place for a city building and it should not be located there. The park is for ornament to the city and with a beautiful monument in the center and the remainder of the space beautified as is intended by the park board the whole thing may be made a thing of beauty in which all residents of the city may take an honest pride."

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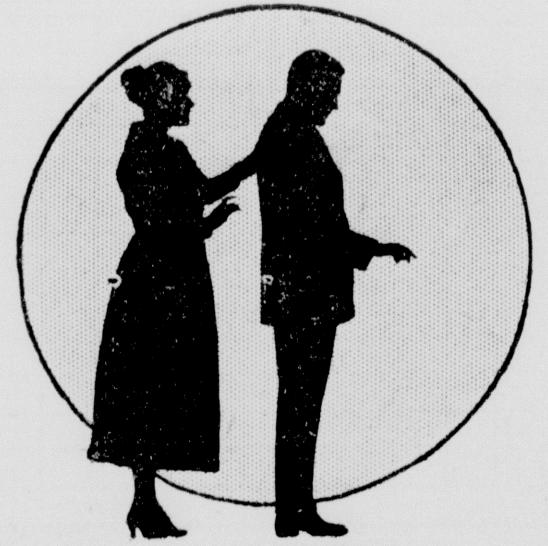
HISTORY CLASS. The History Class will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. H. D. Dobyns on Caldwell street.

Mrs. Seaton Norman of Springfield is visiting in Litterberry, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Young and family.

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MYERS BROTHERS.

GOV. LOWDEN SAYS WAR WILL BE WON ON FARMS

Duty of Land Owners to Plant Every Available Acre is Plain—Mississippi Valley is Granary of Continent

The following statement was issued Sunday by Gov. Lowden urging upon Illinois farmers the need of bringing the state corn crop up to 100 per cent mark:

"We are in the midst of war. We must mobilize our forces for the production of food. The Mississippi valley is the granary of the continent; Illinois, the greatest of all food producing states, is its center. Illinois must do her part in feeding the armies or democracy, for let us not forget that this war has become, not a war against Germany, but a war of democracy against absolutism.

"I feel certain in this crisis that the farmers of Illinois will employ the utmost endeavors to farm as large an acreage as possible and to raise the maximum yield of crops.

"As a result of industrial changes it has been increasingly difficult for more than a decade to employ sufficient labor for the farms. That condition now has become acute. The state of Illinois, thru its superintendent of public instruction, has advised all school superintendents and school officers in Illinois to provide a plan whereby any school boy above the age of 14 years may be released from school to devote himself to work in the garden or upon the farm, receiving the same school credits as tho he had remained at school. This should help greatly to recruit the army of agricultural workers. I suggest that farmers in the vicinity of public schools, who may need additional help, offer to share upon equitable basis the profits from their crops with school boys who may be willing to help in producing such crops.

Davison Has Employment Bureau. R. M. Davison, the secretary of the state board of agriculture at Springfield, Ill., has converted his office into an employment agency, and will seek to bring together men who desire to find work upon the farm and those who require their services. The new department of agriculture of the state, now being organized will co-operate to the fullest extent with the agricultural interests of the state to promote the largest possible production.

"Let us all remember that at this time we cannot serve our country better than by devoting our energies to the increased production of food. This war is largely to be finally won, not upon the world's battle fields, but in America's grain fields.

"I know the difficulty of either extensive or intensive farming at the present time because of the difficulty of securing adequate labor. There are, however, many ways by which

we can increase the yield of crops without additional labor. If our farmers would all test and screen their seed corn they would doubtless increase the total yield by 20 per cent. And that 20 per cent might be the margin of safety before another crop is raised. The winter wheat crop in the southwest has largely failed. Something may be done thru spring wheat, but relief this year will come largely from the corn crop, and I propose to the state or Illinois the slogan, 'A hundred per cent stand of corn.'

"Two litters of pigs should be produced where one is now produced, and this might save us from meatless days. Poultry should be produced as it never was produced before.

"Measures for increasing food should be confined to those crops and practices that have proved successful in the locality. This is no time for experimentation with new crops.

"The term 'municipal farming' ought to come into public thought. In the small towns and villages, where much idle land can be had, small fruits and vegetables should be grown under the supervision of those who are skilled in the cultivation of the soil. In order to secure proper results, I earnestly urge upon city and village councils, upon commercial clubs and women's clubs, to exert themselves to provide at once competent supervision for this cultivation. I suggest that retired farmers living in these cities and towns would be available for this service.

"Above all we must avoid waste and extravagance. These are our national sins. It often has been said that the average family in America wastes enough to support a family in Europe.

"We must reflect that the labor employed to satisfy our demands for luxury might otherwise be used to supply food indispensable to the armies fighting our battles.

"If we are to win this war, the labor of the country must be bestowed upon only needful things, and I call upon the people everywhere to practice universally those reasonable economies without which we shall not do our part in this great struggle.

"The issue is closed. We did not desire war, but, in spite of our wishes, war is upon us. Our independence as a nation, our liberties, are at stake. If we are worthy of our forebears, we will shrink from no effort and from no sacrifice which may be needed to win an enduring peace."

THIS WEEK SPECIAL OFFERINGS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT, AT HERMAN'S.

SUMMONED BY ILLNESS. A. G. Cody and W. D. Cody were in Mercedosa Sunday, called by the illness of their father, James Cody, whose condition remains serious.

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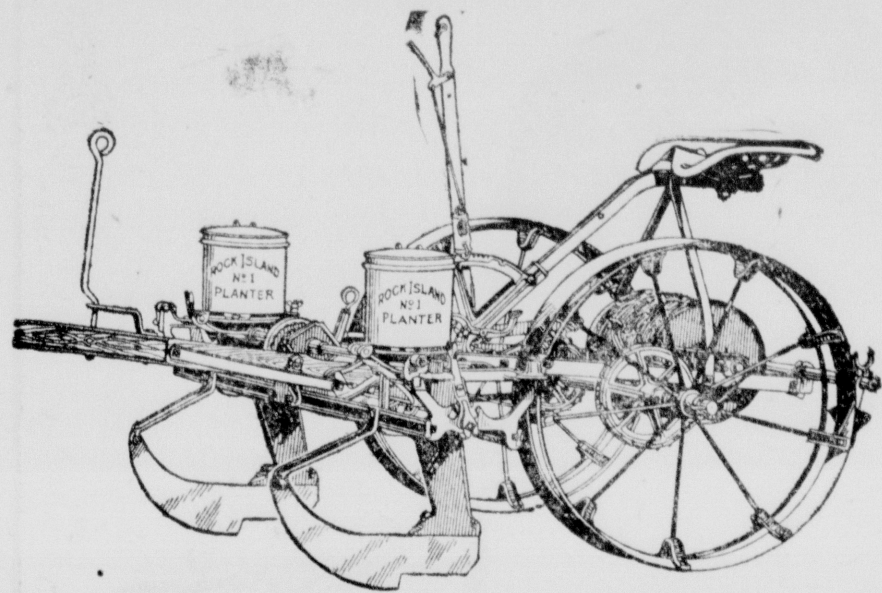
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FARMERS OF CHAMPAIGN CO. PLEDGE AID FUND

To Give Gross Product of One Acre of Land for Benefit of Soldiers and Sailors of County—Surplus to Be Turned Over to Red Cross

Urbana, Ill., April 14.—Under the slogan "An acre of land for the benefit of Soldiers and Sailors of Champaign county have organized the Farmers Voluntary Relief Association.

"Leading farmers of the county, wealthy land owners, and tenants endorsed the project and are pledging each their acre with an enthusiasm that spells success," said Gustav H. Radebaugh, one of the organizers of the movement.

"A central county committee has been chosen with C. L. Van Doren, president of the Champaign county farm bureau, as chairman; Mrs. Henry M. Dunlap, of Savoy, vice chairman; Dr. E. B. Powell, originator of the project, secretary and the county treasurer, Edward Rogers, Treasurer. Other members: Judge F. H. Boggs, Thos. B. Thornburn, A. F. Rising, and L. G. Johnston; the latter three being members of the "Finance Committee."

The Language of the Pledge

"The farmers of Champaign believe in this time of national peril it is important that the people at home do something—not merely talk excitedly and advise the Government what to do," says the official announcement of the project. "The thing right at hand, the most obvious, is to provide for the care of the families of those who go to the front—wherever that may be.

The pledge which the farmers are signing reads as follows:

"For the benefit of the Soldiers and Sailors of Champaign county and their families I promise to give the gross product grown on one acre of my land in 1917. The proceeds of this acre are to be paid on or before January 1, 1918, to the County Treasurer of Champaign county, Treasurer of the Association Urbana, Illinois.

"It is understood that this fund shall be administered by the Central Committee for this association, with the cooperation of local committees in each of the townships. It is also understood that the fund shall be used only for the purpose mentioned above except that in case of a surplus it may be turned to the use of the Red Cross."

EXPERT ADVICE ON POTATO CULTURE

Proper Soil and Sufficient Preparation Essential for Best Results—Should be Grown in Rotation.

Chicago, April 16.—Hints on potato culture emphasizing the need of proper soil and sufficient preparation if desired results are to be obtained are contained in a message to growers prepared by a crop expert of the Southern Pacific company. The chief points follow:

The potato must have an open porous soil, well fertilized and with ample drainage. Sandy loams, clay loam and pasty loam soils measure up to these requirements.

The tuber should be grown in rotation—never planted more than twice in succession on the same plot which for best results should be fallow two years out of five.

Planting should be deep and the ground well harrowed and broken before planting.

Planting whole potatoes rather than divided tubers, in the opinion of the expert, produces better results.

Care in cultivation to prevent severing roots and retarding growth should be observed.

FORMER LEGISLATORS ACUSED

Little Rock, Ark., April 16.—The first of the trials in the so-called legislative bribery cases, in which former members of the Arkansas legislature are involved, is scheduled to start today. The first to be tried is ex-State Senator S. C. Sims. His trial is to be followed by that of I. V. Burgess, also a former member of the state senate. The two were arrested by city detectives late in February after it is alleged they had been caught in the act of receiving a bribe from John E. McGarvey, a Burns detective in the employ of Prosecutor Dunaway, who represented himself as a lobbyist interested in killing a senate bill against trading stamps. Both members were expelled from the senate after they had been indicted.

WEDDING IN MILITARY CIRCLES

Washington, D. C., April 16.—St. Matthew's Church was the scene of a brilliant military wedding at noon today, when Miss Mary Regina Irwin, daughter of Commander William Manning Irwin, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Irwin, was married to Lieut. Thomas B. Larkin, Engineer Corps, U. S. A. The wedding was strictly a military affair, the bridegroom, the best man and the ushers appearing in full dress uniform. A large reception at the Washington Club followed the ceremony at the church.

TO DISCUSS FOOD PROBLEM

Washington, D. C., April 16.—Problems of agriculture and the food supplies both for home and entente consumption are to receive attention at the hands of the National Academy of Sciences which met in this city today. Members of the academy subscribe to views that the United States should send troops to Europe, but assert this would be impracticable unless the government could supply food in sufficient quantities both to maintain national warfare and to supply the entente. The suggestion will be advanced at the present meeting that a committee of scientists be appointed to urge this phase of economic preparedness upon the government.

Misses Mamie Foley, Edna Hall and Irene Hadden enjoyed a visit Sunday with Miss Lillian Harvey, formerly like themselves, connected with the store of F. J. Waddell & Co.

TEXAS EXPERTS PASS ON RICE BRAN RATION

Tests Prove This Feeding Causes Hogs to Dress "Soft," Lowering Quality and Market Value—Settles Point of Controversy Between Sellers and Buyers.

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—That a rice bran ration will cause hogs to dress "soft," thereby lowering their quality and their market value, has just been proved by tests conducted at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. The conclusion of the Texas experts settles a question of long standing between the farmers of certain southern districts and the packers who have been buying their hogs.

Dr. R. J. H. DeLoach, expert on agricultural research and education for a Chicago packer visited Texas recently for the purpose of investigating the soft meat question. Upon consultation with farmers and the authorities at the Texas Experiment station, he found that considerable attention had already been given to this work and that the Experiment Station had just made new discoveries of the causes of soft meat. Dr. DeLoach says:

"The tests conducted by the Texas Experiment Station authorities, throw light on a subject that previously had been much in the dark. For a long time farmers in certain sections, especially in the peanut growing districts, have sold their hogs under an agreement that the top prices would not be paid for animals that dressed soft. When the hogs did dress soft, the packers suspected they had been fed on peanuts, but nine times out of ten the farmers indignantly—and justly so—as it now appears—denied it.

"Their vigorous assertions that they had not fed the hogs on feed that was recognized as causing them to dress soft, led me among others, to visit the field. I found that rice bran was much used as a feed and after a rather tedious investigation and much questioning, some of the farmers admitted that they believed rice bran was the cause of the hogs dressing soft.

"Just at this time the Texas experts finished experiments which are conclusive and which satisfy me that rice bran is similar in effect to peanuts. The Texas authorities are soon to issue a bulletin to that effect.

"If the discovery lessens the number of hogs that dress soft, well and good; but even if it does not, the discovery will at least settle a point that has caused much controversy between the sellers and buyers of hogs."

SPRINGFIELD NEWS NOTES

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—A portrait of former Governor Edward F. Dunne, painted by Walter Ufer, Chicago, has been received and hung in the executive offices at the state house with the portraits of other former governors.

A recruiting poster, used in civil war times, hangs framed in a bank here. It appeals to men to join the colors as follows:

"Volunteers
Attention

"Now is the time to save your bounty, get your \$13 per month pay and be a man. Never let it be said you were drafted. On the 13th of this month (August, 1862) the draft commenced; you will then get but \$11 per month and no bounty."

All men who enter this company before the 15th of this month will get at least \$65 bounty; \$75 when your term of service expires, also 160 acres of land.

"NOW MEN COME FORWARD"

A new supply company for the Fifth Illinois infantry has been organized here with Charles N. Neal as captain. The company will consist of thirty-five enlisted men and three officers. The duty of the organization will be to furnish equipment for the Fifth regiment and to perform the duties of the quartermaster's corps which was abolished by the new federal defence act.

A home guard of men between 35 and 45 years of age, headed by Vincent Y. Dallman, United States marshal for the southern district of Illinois and a veteran of the Spanish American war, is being formed here.

Louis L. Emmerson of Mt. Vernon, Ill., secretary of state, says citizens of southern Illinois are responding to the military challenge and that three regiments are being formed near his own home town. Mr. Emmerson reports a regiment in progress of recruiting at Mt. Vernon, headed by "Trip" Clisey, whose grandfather, Zadok Casey, was lieutenant governor of Illinois from 1829 to 1832.

Women of Illinois are anxious to do their bit in helping to create a military machine that will be a credit to the state, according to Adjutant General Dickson, who is daily receiving tenders of service from all parts of the commonwealth.

General Dickson told the senate committee on appropriations when he went before it a few days ago in behalf of the military census bill, that the \$50,000 asked to defray the expenses of the census might not be needed in its entirety if more offers of services were received from women.

A large corps of stenographers and clerks will be needed to tabulate the results of the census, which will list men of military age and qualifications and will bring to light material resources of the state, and it appears, General Dickson said, that much of the work will be done by volunteer women workers.

Offers of service are not confined to any particular line of work, General Dickson said. Most of the letters are general in nature and do not specify what the persons desiring to help wish to do.

Twenty-two states, General Dick-

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Every
Morning

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The Part that Style Plays—

—in the selection of a Coat or Suit is a big one—and we go further than that, for we combine style, quality and reasonable price in choosing suits and coats for the women of Jacksonville.

And one may choose here from a wealth of styles that have been approved for Spring and Summer. Keeping always in mind the straight line tendencies for the season the designers have created a varied assortment of youthful looking garments—and the most select of these have been gathered here for you.



A Very Much Out of the Ordinary

Sale of fifty smart Suits, the samples of one of New York's leading makers—made of materials which are hard to get and impossible to duplicate at the special price of . . . **\$14.95**

Beautiful Dresses

All of which present the style note in Materials, Trimmings, Colorings and Tailoring of an unusual high standard line of dresses—Taffetas, Georgette Crepes, Etc.

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Wanted Petticoats

Exceptional values in beautiful Petticoats of beautiful Taffetas in all the wanted shades and blacks—pleated and colored ruffles—in extra as well as large sizes, at
\$7.50, \$5.00 and \$3.95.

Complete showing in all the light weight Sateens, at 98c.

At Last—The Eagerly Awaited and Long Looked for Sale of HOSIERY at 25c

We have built up a great reputation for our Hosiery department and the attending difficulties at the present time compelled us to make greater efforts to secure these Hosiery. They are all ready and will be on sale at per pair 25c.

DIAMONDS EDWARD. D. HEINL



A Concrete Bird Bath

Nothing is more certain to attract birds to your yard than a bird bath.

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Specialty of Felt Hats

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DRESSERS
We Buy Everything
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That's the reason we are
able to sell you groceries
at the money saving prices
we ask.

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for ice, pay for your
book in advance. This
plan saves you money.

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This is the year to place
your fuel orders early.
The prices will certainly
be higher.

SNYDER
Ice & Fuel Co.
Phones 204

We teach watches to tell the truth

If your watch
can't be depended
upon bring it in
and let our ex-
pert repair man
put it in first
class condition.
Jewelry made
to look like new.
No charges un-
less we do.

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Coal Prices Are Down

Because of Reductions the
mines have announced for
this month we now are
able to quote these re-
duced prices:

SPRINGFIELD
LUMP OR NUT
\$4.50 Per Ton
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\$5.25 Per Ton
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Phones 88
The Prices Good Only for
April Delivery.

CARDS BUNCH HITS AND DEFEAT CUBS

MEADOWS KEEPS SAFETIES
WELL SCATTERED

Mitchell Presents New Lineup on
Account of Injury to Sailer's Leg
—New York Blanks Brooklyn in
Series Opener.

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—Chicago
was unable to bunch hits off Mead-
ows today and St. Louis won again
today, five to one. The visitors
bunched hits off Vaughn in the first
and fifth innings and won easily.

Manager Mitchell presented a new
line-up on account of the injury to
Sailer's leg. Pitcher Reuther went to
first base and made a creditable
showing.

Score:
St. Louis AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Bescher, lf. 4 1 1 0 0 0
Betzel, 2b. 4 1 1 0 0 0
Long, rf. 4 1 1 0 0 0
Miller, 1b. 4 0 2 13 0 0
Hornsbey, ss. 4 0 1 1 5 0
Cruise, cf. 4 1 1 2 0 0
Smith, 3b. 4 0 1 4 3 0
Snyder, c. 3 0 0 2 0 0
Meadows, p. 4 1 0 0 2 1

Totals AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Chicago, 35 5 8 27 15 1
Zeider, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Wolter, rf. 4 0 1 3 0 0
Doyce, 2b. 4 0 1 5 2 0
Mann, lf. 3 0 1 1 0 0
Williams, cf. 3 0 1 6 0 0
Reuther, 1b. 3 0 0 6 0 0
Wortman, ss. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Wilson, c. 3 0 1 5 1 0
Vaughn, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0
Flack, x. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Carter, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Dillhoefer, xx. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Prendergast, p. 0 0 0 0 1 0

Totals AB. R. H. O. A. E.
x—batted for Vaughn in 5th.
xx—batted for Carter in 8th.
Score by innings:
St. Louis 100 030 010—4
Chicago 000 000 010—1

Summary
Two base hits—Cruise. Three
base hit—Bescher. Stolen bases—
Betzel. Sacrifice hit—Williams.
Double plays—Hornsbey to Betzel to
Miller; Smith to Betzel to Miller.
Left on bases—St. Louis 4; Chicago
6. First base on errors—St. Louis
1; Chicago 1. Bases on balls—off
Meadows 3; Vaughn 1. Hits and
earned runs—Vaughn 6 and 4 in 5;
Carter 1 and 0 in 2; Prendergast
1 and 0 in 1; Meadows 5 and 0 in 9.
Struck out—by Vaughn 3; Meadows
2; Prendergast 1. Umpires—Orth
and Rigler. Time—1:42.

New York 5; Brooklyn 0
Brooklyn, April 15.—New York
shutout Brooklyn in the first game

'WORTH WEIGHT IN GOLD,' SHE SAYS

Mrs. Ada Deaton Pays
New Medicine Tanlac
Glowing Tribute

DESCRIBES HER RELIEF

"I Truly Believe This Prepara-
tion Saved My Life," Alton
Woman Asserts

DIFFERENT PERSON NOW

Alton, Ill., April 16.—"Tanalac has
been worth its weight in gold to me
and I can't praise it too highly,"
Mrs. Ada Deaton, well known Alton
woman of 550 Broadway street, said
on March 28.

"Yes sir, I truly believe that this
medicine has saved my life," she
continued. "For more than a year
my stomach has been all out of or-
der. My appetite was so poor that I
just had to force myself to eat. I
couldn't eat meats, onions or any-
thing greasy because of the bad after-
effects. I was so nervous and rest-
less at night I couldn't sleep and as
a result my system generally had be-
come run down. My liver was in bad
condition. I also suffered severely
from rheumatism in my arms."
"I read so much about Tanlac in
the newspapers that I decided to give
it a trial. Well, I'm hungry all the
time now and can eat meat, onions
or anything else and the food digests
properly. The rheumatic pains in my
arms have disappeared and I can do
all my work without any trouble. In
fact, I feel like an altogether new
person, since taking Tanlac. I want
to recommend it and I hope others
will take my advice and give the new
medicine a trial."

People suffering from a weak-
ened, nervous, run down system will
find Tanlac just the thing they need.
The new medicine seems to go
straight to the seat of the trouble,
placing the vital organs in normal
condition. When the stomach and
other digestive organs are in good
condition the foundation of health
has been laid."

Tanalac is now being introduced in
Jacksonville at the Coover-Shreve
Drug Co., East Side store, where a
special Tanlac representative is ex-
plaining the new medicine to the
public daily. Tanlac also may be
obtained at the West Side store of
the Coover-Shreve Drug Co. It is
sold in Weverly at the Wyle Drug
Co.; in New Berlin at the New Ber-
lin Drug Co.; and in Ashland at H. O.
Brownback's store; in Versailles at
A. G. Bates' Drug stores.

HOW THEY STAND

National League.				
New York	3	0	1,000	
Philadelphia	2	1	667	
Chicago	3	3	500	
Cincinnati	3	3	500	
St. Louis	4	2	667	
Pittsburgh	2	4	333	
Brooklyn	0	3	000	
Boston	1	2	333	

American League.				
Chicago	4	1	800	
Cleveland	3	1	750	
Washington	2	1	667	
Boston	3	1	750	
New York	1	2	333	
Philadelphia	1	3	250	
St. Louis	1	3	250	
Detroit	1	4	200	

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League.				
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 1.				
Pittsburgh, 8; Cincinnati, 4.				
New York, 5; Brooklyn, 0.				
Philadelphia, 1; Boston, 3.				

American League.				
Chicago, 4; Detroit, 0.				
Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 1.				
Cleveland at St. Louis, wet grounds.				
Washington-New York, cold weather.				

American Association.				
St. Paul, 2; Kansas City, 3.				
Toledo, 4; Louisville, 10.				
Columbus, 3; Indianapolis, 4.				
Minneapolis-Milwaukee, cold weather.				

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

National League.				
New York at Brooklyn.				
Philadelphia at Boston.				
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.				
St. Louis at Chicago.				

American League.				
Chicago at Detroit.				
Cleveland at St. Louis.				
Washington at New York.				
Boston at Philadelphia.				

of their series here today, five to
nothing.
Schupp pitched effective ball
throughout and received perfect sup-
port. During pitched the last three
innings for Brooklyn and blanked
the visitors.

Score:				
New York AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Burns, lf. 4 0 0 5 0 0				
Hierzog, 2b. 4 0 0 2 0 0				
Robertson, rf. 4 0 0 2 0 0				
Zimmerman, 3b. 2 1 0 0 4 8				
Ketcher, ss. 3 2 2 0 1 0				
Kauf, cf. 2 2 2 0 0 0				
Murray, c. 0 0 0 2 0 0				
Holke, 1b. 3 0 2 10 1 0				
McCarthy, p. 3 0 0 3 1 0				
Schupp, p. 4 0 0 1 1 0				

Totals				
AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Brooklyn ss. 3 0 2 4 2 0				
Johnston, cf. 4 0 0 1 0 0				
Merkle, 1b. 4 0 0 11 0 0				
Wheat, lf. 4 0 0 1 0 0				
Stengel, rf. 4 0 0 1 0 0				
Cutshaw, 2b. 4 0 1 3 2 0				
Olson, 3b. 3 0 0 0 4 0				
Meyers, c. 2 0 0 6 1 0				
Miller, p. 1 0 0 0 4 0				
Cadore, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0				
Cheney, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0				
During, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0				
Myers, x. 1 0 0 0 0 0				
Hickman, xx. 1 0 1 0 0 0				

Totals				
AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Brooklyn ss. 3 0 2 4 2 0				
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Miller, p. 1 0 0 0 4 0				
Cadore, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0				
Cheney, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0				
During, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0				
Myers, x. 1 0 0 0 0 0				
Hickman, xx. 1 0 1 0 0 0				

Two base hit—Fabrique. Cutshaw.
Three base hit—Holke—Stolen base
—Herzog. Sacrifice hit—Holke. Sac-
rifice fly—McCarthy. Left on bases—
New York 4; Brooklyn 6. Base on
balls—off Cadore 4; off Cheney 1;
Schupp 1. Hits and earned runs—
off Cadore 6 hits, five runs in 6;
off Cheney 2 and 0 in 2; During 0
and 0 in 1; Schupp five and none in
9. Struck out—by Cadore 6; by
Schupp 2. Umpires—Byron and
Quigley. Time—1:43.

Pittsburgh 8; Cincinnati 4
Cincinnati, O., April 16.—Pitts-
burgh hit three Cincinnati pitchers
hard and timely here today and won
easily 8 to 4.

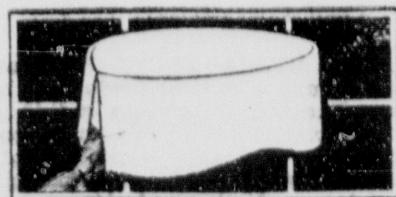
Score by innings:
Pittsburgh 022 001 10 8 10 2
Cincinnati 012 000 100 4 10 2
Batteries—Cooper and Wagner;
Mitchell, Knetzer, Eller and Huhn.

Boston 3; Philadelphia 1
Boston, April 16.—Barnes out-
pitched Alexander today and Boston
defeated Philadelphia 3 to 1. Triples
in the fourth inning by Maran-
ville, Bailey and Konecny counted
two of Boston's runs and Gowdy's
double and Maranville's single were
principal elements in adding another
in the fifth.

Score by innings:
Philadelphia 000 001 000 1 4 0
Boston 000 210 000 3 7 5
Batteries—Alexander and Kill-
fer; Barnes and Gowdy.

T. F. Quinn and family came up
to the city Sunday in their Ford car
and returned home yesterday.

Miss Clara Devlin of Springfield
spent Sunday with her mother on
East College street.



TYRONE-2's in.
ARROW
form-fit COLLAR
2 for 30¢
CLUETT, PEABODY & CO. INC. MAKERS

FABER HOLDS TIGERS TO TWO HITS; SOX WIN

JONES PITCHES WELL AFTER
FIRST INNING

Chicagoans Get Two Runs in First
and Double That Score in Ninth—
Boston Has No Difficulty Defeat-
ing Athletics—Bodie Leads in Hit-
ting.

Detroit, April 16.—Faber held De-
troit to two hits this afternoon and
scored a shutout for Chicago, 4 to 0.
After a bad first inning, Carroll
Jones pitched well for Detroit until
taken out in the eighth inning in fa-
vor of a pinch hitter. Score:

Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Leibold, rf. 3 1 0 0 0 0				
Risberg, ss. 4 0 0 0 4 0				
E. Collins, 2b. 3 1 1 3 5 0				
Jackson, lf. 4 0 2 2 0 0				
Felsch, cf. 4 1 1 1 0 0				
Gandil, 1b. 4 0 0 16 1 0				
Weaver, 3b. 3 1 2 0 2 0				
Schalk, c. 3 0 1 4 0 0				
Faber, p. 2 0 0 1 2 0				

Totals				
AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Bush, ss. 3 0 1 3 4 0				
Young, 2b. 4 0 0 2 3 0				
Cobb, rf. 4 0 1 3 0 0				
Veach, lf. 4 0 0 1 1 0				
Heilman, cf. 3 0 0 2 0 0				
Burns, 1b. 3 0 0 13 0 0				
R. Jones, 3b. 3 0 0 2 2 0				
Spencer, c. 3 0 0 2 2 0				
C. Jones, p. 1 0 0 0 2 0				
Cunningham, P. 0 0 0 0 0 1				
Crawford, x. 1 0 0 0 0 0				

Score by innings:
Chicago 200 000 002—4
Detroit 000 000 000—0
Summary:
Two base hits—Jackson, Cobb.
Stolen bases—Leibold, 3; Weaver, 2.
Sacrifice hits—Faber, 2; Weaver.
Double plays—Bush to Burns. Left
on bases—Detroit, 5; Chicago, 6.
First base on errors—Chicago, 1.
Bases on balls—Off Jones, 4; Faber,
3. Hits and earned runs—Off C.
Jones 5 hits 2 runs in 8 innings;
Cunningham 2 hits and 1 run in one.
Struck out—by C. Jones, 2; Cun-
ningham, 1; Faber, 3. Umpires—
Evans and Nallin. Time—1:41.

Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 1
Philadelphia, April 16.—Boston
had no difficulty in defeating Phila-
delphia today, 6 to 1. Bodie with
a double and two singles, led in the
hitting. Score:

Boston AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Hooper, rf. 4 1 1 2 0 0				
Barry, 2b. 4 1 1 2 2 0				
Hobitzell, 1b. 4 0 0 6 0 0				
Lewis, lf. 4 1 2 3 0 0				
Walker, cf. 4 0 0 1 1 0				
Gardner, 3b. 3 1 1 1 0 1				
Scott, ss. 3 0 0 3 5 0				
Thomas, c. 3 2 2 9 0 0				
Ruth, p. 4 0 1 0 2 0				

Totals				
AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Philadelphia AB. R. H. O. A. E.				
Witt, ss. 5 1 1 1 3 0				
Schang, c. 4 0 1 2 3 0				
Bodie, lf. 4 0 3 1 0 0				
Strunk, cf. 3 0 1 2 0 0				
Thrasher, rf. 0 0 0 3 0 0				
W. Johnson, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0				
McInnis, 1b. 4 0 1 15 1 0				
Bates, 2b. 4 0 1 2 2 1				
Lawry, 2b. 2 0 0 0 2 0				
Grover, 2b. 2 0 0 1 1 0				
Seibold, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0				
Nabors, p. 0 0 0 0 1 0				
E. Johnson, p. 0 0 0 0 3 0				
Myers, x. 1 0 0 0 0 0				
Haley, xx. 1 0 0 0 0 0				

Score by innings:
Boston 003 200 010—6
Philadelphia 001 000 000—1
Summary:
Two base hits—Thomas, Schang.
Bodie. Three base hits—Thomas,
Lewis. Sacrifice hit—Scott. Double
plays—Scott, Barry and Hobitzell;
Schang-Bates. Left on bases—Bos-
ton, 5; Philadelphia, 10. First base
on errors—Boston, 1; Philadelphia,
1. Bases on balls—Ruth, 4; Sei-
bold, 2; Nabors, 1; E. Johnson, 1.
Umpires—Owen and Dineen. Time
—1:55.

CALANDER OF SPORTS

Tuesday.

Opening of annual tournament of
Washington Polo Club, Washington,
D. C.

Opening of annual mid-April golf
tournament at Paeuhurst, N. C.

Central Illinois trap-shooting tour-
naunt opens at Lincoln, Ill.

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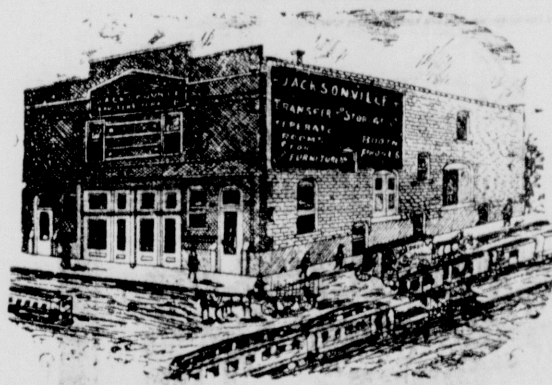
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ILLINOIS WILL
WAGE WAR ON BUGS

State Entomologist Arranges for Quick Action in Reporting Appearance of Crop Destroying Insects.

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—War on the chinch bug and Hessian fly will be Illinois' first part in the conflict with Germany.

State Entomologist S. A. Forbes today informed Governor Lowden that he had asked crop reporters, the State Horticultural society and the southern Illinois Millers association to report by wire at once any appearance of such crop pests in their territory.

It would be a disgrace to Illinois to permit any damage to crop during war times by reason of uncontrolled pests, Mr. Forbes declared.

The state and nation will be asked to aid individual farmers in fighting the destructive bugs. For the past six years they have caused millions of dollars damage to crops in Illinois annually.

Secretary B. M. Davidson of the state board of agriculture said today he had received scores of applications from persons desiring to work on farms to help the state out of its threatened food crisis. Most of these were from high school boys in answer to the departments offer to maintain an employment bureau.

BRIDGE SPAN COLLAPSES;
FIVE ARE HURT

El Paso, Texas, April 16.—Five Mexican workmen were injured when a span in the foot bridge which parallels the international street car and wagon bridge to Juarez collapsed early today. The accident occurred at the American end and a few minutes before the bridge was opened for the day's traffic.

An investigation shows no indications of a plot to wreck the bridge.

ROAD DISTRICT TREASURER'S
REPORT

State of Illinois, County of Morgan, ss.

Road District No. 1.

The following is a statement by F. G. Walsh (Treasurer) of Road District No. One, in the County and State aforesaid, of the amount of public funds received and expended by him during the fiscal year just closed, ending on the 17th day of April, 1917, showing the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of said fiscal year, the amount of public funds received, and from what sources received, the amount of public funds expended, and for what purpose expended, during said fiscal year, ending as aforesaid.

The said F. G. Walsh, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the following statement, by him subscribed, is a correct statement of the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year above stated, the amount of public funds received, and the sources from which received, and the amount expended, and purchases for which expended, as set forth in said statement.

F. G. Walsh.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of April, 1917.

J. H. Hubbs,

Notary Public.

(seal) Funds Received and From What

1916 Source Received

Amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year commencing the 18th day of April

1916 \$.14

April 18, received from

Grant Graff, Sheriff, taxes 2,000.00

April 18, A. A. McNeal for

cement 1.05

May 8, Grant Graff, Sheriff,

taxes 4,000.00

May 5, W. T. Richardson,

material sold 9.62

July 5, Grant Graff, Sheriff

taxes 2,000.00

July 18, James Mahon, for

chain 4.00

July 18, J. M. Stice, sale of

old lumber 2.75

Aug. 25, Grant Graff, Sheriff,

taxes 262.17

1917

Jan. 31, W. T. Richardson

for Lamkolor allowance on

new road 12.00

Total \$8,291.73

Funds Expended and For What Purpose

Expended

Grading \$1,908.26

Draining 1,217.45

Bridges and culverts 2,196.34

Repairs for bridges and

culverts, work and material

for same 908.34

Machinery 239.20

Repairs for machinery 99.70

Damages, new road 490.50

Tile, tiling and ditching 108.08

Cutting brush and weeds

and grubbing 122.82

Election expense 27.00

Surveying 3.00

Concrete work 37.00

Dynamite 31.50

J. H. Hubbs, store acct. 23.30

Miscellaneous expense 8.48

F. G. Walsh commission

due from 1915 account 4.24

J. W. Moore, per diem

due from 1915 account 38.00

J. M. Stice, per diem due

from 1915 account 13.00

F. G. Walsh, per diem 14.00

J. W. Moore, per diem 144.00

J. M. Stice, per diem 167.00

J. M. Stice, cash for express

W. T. Richardson, per diem

Printing, stamps and cash

expense 39.81

Total \$7,901.49

Recapitulation

Amount on hand

at beginning of

fiscal year \$.14

Amount of funds

received during

fiscal year 8,291.59

Total amount \$8,291.73

Amount expended

during fiscal

year \$7,901.49

Commissions 95.00

Balance on hand

295.24

Total \$8,291.73 \$8,291.73

ANNUAL SERVICE HELD
FOR TRAVELING MEN

Members of Jacksonville Council No. 182, U. C. T., and Post O., T. P. A. Hear Strong Sermon at Grace M. E. church by the Rev. F. B. Madden.

Traveling men of the city attended services in a body Sunday forenoon at Grace M. E. church and listened to a pointed discourse by the pastor, the Rev. F. B. Madden, who took as his theme the relation of business and religion. Members of Jacksonville Council No. 182, United Commercial Travelers, and Post O. Travelers' Protective association, joined for this annual observance, meeting at the several hotels and occupying seats reserved for them in the front of the church.

The text selected by Mr. Madden was Colossians 3:17: "Whatsoever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks unto the Father," and the minister delivered a strong appeal for a closer relation between religion and business, declaring that a business which will not bear the admixture of religious principle is poor indeed. Mr. Madden spoke of the close relation between commerce and the work of Christian missionaries. "Commerce follows in the wake of Christianity," said he.

Speaking to the traveling men as representatives of fraternal orders the pastor said:

"We welcome you as a large and representative brotherhood of our city. I understand three hundred commercial travelers have their homes in this city. I understand also that the number has trebled since the city was voted dry. This is not only a tribute to the city, but a compliment to the personnel of your order, whose principles are unity, charity and temperance. We bid you God speed in your fraternal relations your protective association and your charitable mission to widows and orphans. We invoke the benediction of the Heavenly Father upon you on this memorable day when you cherish memories of fallen brothers. We are glad you have honored us with your presence and trust that the visit will be mutually profitable and that you may come again."

Religion and Business.

Continuing his discussion of the mutual place occupied by business and religion, the minister said:

"The heresay of recent years has been that religion and business will not mix. I feel sorry for a man's business if it is of such character that he cannot mix the spirit of Christ with it. The world is no longer tolerating the kind of business that does not recognize religion. Witness John F. Ingalls, the mid-western senator who was banished from the senate by the people of his state and became a tramp because he declared on the congress floors that the Ten Commandments, the Sermon on the Mount and the golden rule were an iridescent dream. The present day employer of mechanics, clerks of tradesmen recognizes that sobriety is essential to industry and success, and he wants no men on his payroll who come to work staggering with liquor. The sacred and the secular are coming closer together. And I am glad that modern life is coming to live closer to the appeal of Paul that 'whatsoever you do, in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus.'"

WILSON PROCLAMATION
WARNS ALL IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—All persons in the United States, citizens and aliens, are warned in a proclamation issued today by President Wilson that treasonable acts or attempts to shield those committing such acts will be vigorously prosecuted by the government.

The proclamation defines treason, citing statutes, provisions of the constitution and decisions of the courts, declares that the acts described will be regarded as treasonable whether committed within the borders of the United States or elsewhere. Far-reaching importance attaches to the direction of the warning to aliens and the declaration that "resident aliens as well as citizens owe allegiance to the United States" and therefore are equally subject to the laws against treason and like crimes.

At war the United States is in a very different position from a neutral. Bomb plotters now may be gripped with an iron hand, not only are conspirators themselves subject to heavy penalties but anyone, even a German resident, who has knowledge of treasonable acts and fails to make known the facts to the authorities, may be sent to prison for seven years and fined \$1,000.

SETS DATE FOR HEARING
IN RAIL RATE INCREASE

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The interstate commerce commission today set Friday, April 20, as the date of the first hearing in the proposed general increase of 15 percent in freight rates.

The following telegram, sent to organizations of shippers inquiring as to what action would be taken by the commission was made public:

"Responsive to requests made an informal hearing will be had by the commission at Washington at 10 A. M. Friday, April 20, confined to plan or method of procedure and character of investigation which should be had in respect to proposed general rate increase.

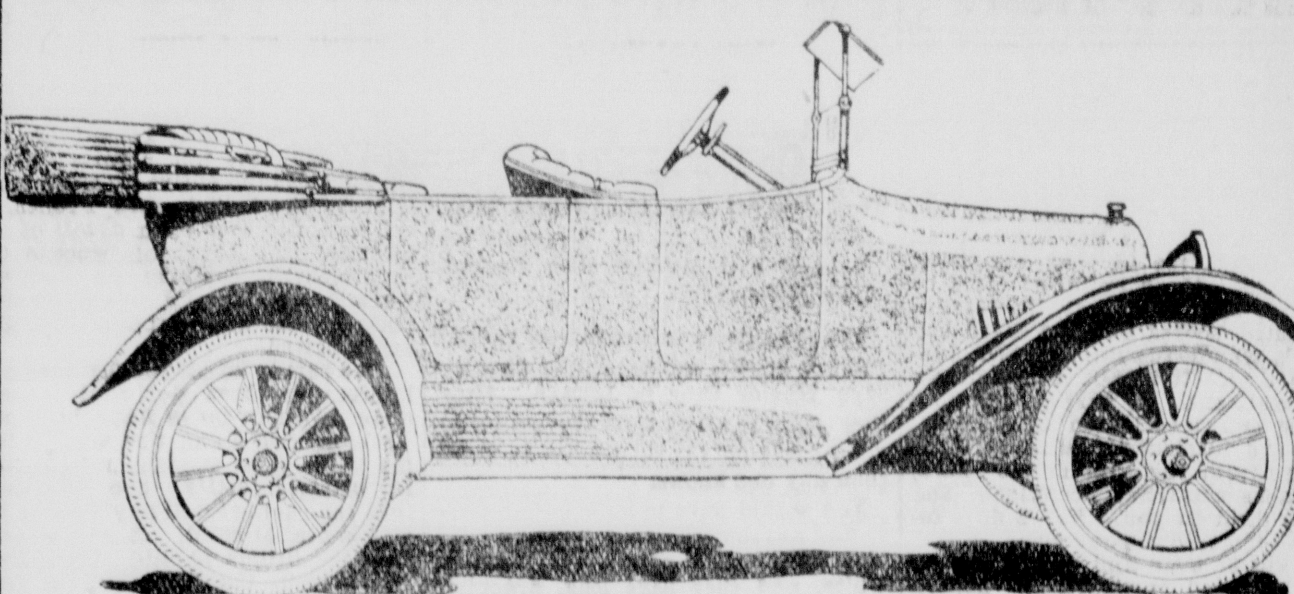
"If tariffs are filed hearings will be had later on questions of suspending them."

ESTIMATE CANADIAN LOSSES.

Ottawa, April 16.—Estimates of Canadian losses around Vimy based on good authority, place the casualties from the commencement of the Vimy offensive until last night between 5,000 and 6,000. Three hundred and thirty Canadian officers fell last week on Vimy ridge, according to the information. The totals include killed and wounded with the latter dominating.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Webster of Peoria were visitors in the city Monday.

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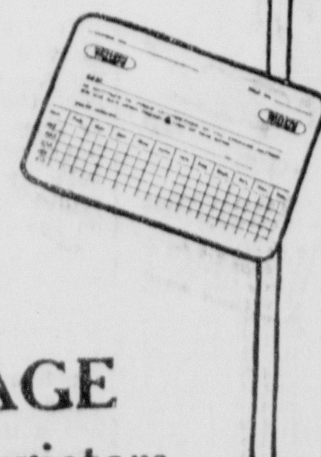
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STOMACH SYMPTOMS

A leading physician of Chicago says: "Merely easing the pain with narcotics to give relief is a long way from cure for stomach trouble. Besides the danger of neglect or inadequate treatment may lead to more serious maladies. What appear to be only minor troubles are often the symptoms of gall stones, acute indigestion, gastritis, constipation, auto-intoxication, yellow jaundice, appendicitis, cancer and ulcers of the stomach and intestines, or other fatal ailments." Stomach sufferers should take warning. Do not have blind faith in treatments that are giving no results. Much suffering could be avoided, many surgical operations prevented, scores of lives saved had Mayr's Wonderful Remedy been taken in time. It is not a long drawn out treatment. It acts on the very source and foundation of stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, eliminating from the system the hard, poisonous catarrhal accretions and shows them to you. Try a dose to-night—tomorrow your days of torture will be over and another friend will be added to nearly a million grateful human beings, many who declare Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has saved their life. Get it from your druggist today—tomorrow may be too late. For sale by Armstrong's Drug Store and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

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Hair Stops Falling Out and Gets Thick, Wavy, Strong and Beautiful

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandierine hair cleanse". Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandierine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you will have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandierine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair. But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandierine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.—Adv.

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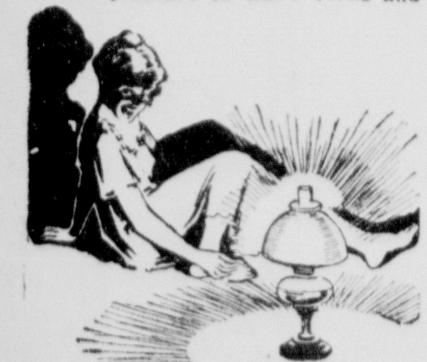
Don't Stay Headachy, Constipated, Don't Stry Headachy, Constipated, Stomach Sour.

Get a 10-cent box now. You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or having a bad cold. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts; cathartic pills or castor oil? Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, indigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach, sweet, liver and bowels regular, and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

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"See—all you have to do is to use your two fingers and lift the corn right off. That's the way 'Gets-It' always works. You just put on about 2 drops. Then the corn not only shrivels, but loosens from the toe, without affecting the surrounding flesh in the least. Why, it's almost a pleasure to have come and



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see how 'Gets-It' gets them off in a hurry and without the least pain. I can wear tight shoes, dance and walk as though I never had corns." "Gets-It" makes the use of irritating salves, bandaging, taping, plasters and other things not only foolish, but unnecessary. Use this wonderful discovery, "Gets-It," for any soft or hard corn or callus. It is the new, simple, easy, quick way, and it never fails. You never have to cut a corn again with knives or scissors, and run chances of blood poisoning. Try "Gets-It" tonight. "Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Jacksonville and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Armstrong's drug store, Coover & Shreve and J. A. Obermeyer.

A GLIMPSE OF INDIA

Sights That Ticked a Tourist's Sense of Humor.

COWS OWN THE SIDEWALKS.

They Are All Sacred and Hence They Have the Right of Way—Crows, Snakes and Monkeys Also Sacred. The Jewelry Fad.

Four things in India are held sacred—cows, crows, snakes and monkeys—says Homer Croy in Leslie's. How they came to select these above all others to put on the sacred list is more than any one knows.

You would have to hunt a long time to find anything homelier than a sacred cow. The sacred cows are of a soiled white, and they have long, drooping jackrabbit ears and camels' humps on their necks just where the collar button would come. They look about as sacred as a corn sheller.

These cows wander up and down the street, and when they come to a grocery they calmly begin eating the vegetables on display. The grocer cannot drive them away, for they are sacred. All he can do is to stand there with a plaintive, pleading expression in his eyes and hope that the cow is not feeling well.

From one grocery to another they take the middle of the sidewalk. They won't turn out under any consideration—they've got to have the middle of the sidewalk. It takes the last remnant of my gentlemanly instincts to step out into the gutter to let a cow pass. I just itch to get my hands on a club. If I could there'd be an awful concussion on about the fourth sacred floating rib.

Ponder over it as I may, I have never been able to figure out why anybody who hasn't been out in the sun too much should pick a cow to hold sacred. One would think that if they were going to pick any bird to hold sacred they would select a beautiful one, for India has hundreds of beautiful birds, and by no wild leap of the imagination could a crow be called pretty.

I thought our American crows were homely, but they are beautiful alongside the Bombay crows. The Bombay crows are the dirtiest, graggiest, most dilapidated looking birds I ever saw in my life. They take full advantage of their sacredness. They will swoop down and pull vegetables out of a basket a person is carrying and will come hopping in and drag things off the table, especially things that will spot the carpet, but one cannot touch them, for they are sacred.

And they retire so late at night! They dearly loved to sit on a limb outside my window and engage in scandal and gossip until a late hour in harsh voices until I would give anything if before I left Missouri I had packed a shotgun.

As for sacred snakes, India produces some fine ones, but they are in the same class as are the sacred crows with me.

Monkeys are in a class by themselves, and when one playfully tosses a tile from the roof at my head I miss that shotgun more than ever.

Another curious thing in India is the jewelry fad.

I love to get on a street car in Bombay and ride just to see the conductor. He wears his turban wrapped around his head and his skirt coiled around his waist, and when he comes down the aisle to collect your fare his brown knees pop in and out from under his skirt as if it were some new kind of game.

A Hindu street car conductor doesn't worry much about the rags situated here and there that make up his clothes. His efforts are concentrated on getting a big pair of earrings. It is wonderful what success they have. Some of the rings look as if they had been cast for the navy. Their earrings are not little bobs that hang from the lower part of the ear, but are hoops fastened in the top part. The right ear is the favorite. On this they hang the greater part of their silverware.

India is a great jewelry wearing country. When it comes to scattering it around the women favor their ears first and their wrists second. They wear bracelets clear up to their elbows until they look like a cane rack at old home week. The Hindus are afraid to put their money in the bank, so they buy jewelry and string it on their wives. A Hindu can't lift his head and look the world in the eye if his wife, coming down the sidewalk, doesn't rattle like a milk wagon. Every time she puts up her hand to do her hair it sounds as if the next number on the program were a muscle dance.

Toes are a favorite place with the Hindus for jewelry. The big toe is certain of a silver ring, and if the pocketbook holds out the envious smaller ones are sure to be remembered. Some of the toe rings have tiny little bells, so that when a woman walks it sounds as if the cows were in the corn on the far forty.

The women of India don't go in very much for dressing. Jewelry is about all they wear, and they wear that at inconspicuous points. They seem to take a personal pride in seeing how much money they can save their husbands on clothes, and their husbands see with how much jewelry they can surprise their wives. The Mohammedan women are very careful to keep their faces covered up.

Health and good humor are the human body like sunshine to vegetation.—Massillon.

ALLIES WORK OUT
PLANS IN DETAIL

Part to be Played by France and England on Western Front Definitely Agreed Upon.

From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press, British Headquarters in France, April 16.—(via London)—With the hot flames of war raging along the entire western front held by the British and French, it can be stated that each detail of the offensive plan has been worked out at prolonged conferences between General Neville and Field Marshal Haig and the war councils of France and England.

The part to be played by each belligerent has been definitely agreed upon. Various tasks have been precisely allotted along the wide reaching battle lines, and the results thus far attained justify the conclusion that the supreme military test of the war is near at hand. It was planned that the British should strike from Arras, while the French guns were still roaring their preparation for infantry hostilities along a wide front further to the south. The successes gained in the first stage of the British advance have given the French great confidence in the inauguration of their own enterprises.

The whole struggle in the western theater promises to be a titanic one. The allies are prepared as never before both in material and personnel and are co-operating with a smoothness which comes from a complete understanding of the work in hand. The Germans have more divisions on the western front than would have been thought possible a year ago and however much of an "easterner" Field Marshal Von Hindenburg may have been in the past, he must have to devote his entire time and attention to western events for some weeks to come.

HOLDS ACTIVITIES TO
BE MOB VIOLENCE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 16.—The activity of a charivari party which celebrated the wedding of William H. Cline of LeRoy, near Bloomington, in 1914, was held to be mob violence by the appellate court of third district in an opinion today.

The verdict of the trial court which held that the city of LeRoy was not liable for alleged damages of \$125 to the Cline's property was reversed and the case remanded for trial.

Suit was brought under the statute which provides that damage caused by a mob can be recovered from a city to the extent of two-thirds of the damage.

TO GIVE GUARDSMEN
CHANCE TO TAKE OATH

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 16.—Adjutant General Dickson today issued a general order, in compliance with instructions from the war department in which all commanders of Illinois troops are requested to offer another and final opportunity for guardsmen who have not taken the federal oath to do so. All who refuse to take the oath will be dropped from the rolls of the organization and will be deprived of all federal equipment. They will hereafter be designated as "strays" and their future disposition will depend upon action by the state.

Adjutant General Dickson said the men who have not subscribed to the federal oath are comparatively few.

NEW YORK RAISES REGIMENT.

Washington, April 16.—New York has won the honor of first raising a regiment for the regular army after the United States went to war. The organization will be designated the First Reserve Engineers and will be officered almost entirely by men taken from the engineer officers reserve corps. Its 1,200 members got their training in public construction work in New York.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets; you will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, hollow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

DECIDE TO POSTPONE
MILITARY ACTIVITIES

University of Illinois Students to Await Government's Wishes Regarding Them—Drill for Juniors and Seniors to be Made Compulsory.

Urbana, Ill., April 16.—Advised on all sides to wait until it is known exactly what the government wishes of them, students of the University of Illinois have resumed work again following the Easter recess, and their work is being carried on without any undue interruption of military preparation.

At present drill twice a week is required of all freshmen and sophomores, and the University has a cadet regiment of 2,200 men. There is a move on foot, however, to have drill made compulsory for juniors and seniors, and if this goes through, the freshmen and sophomores will be required to drill twice a week and the upper classes on the other three days. It is estimated this measure would increase the cadet corps to more than 3,500.

The University has military equipment to supply all these men. There are stationed here six United States army officers—a major and five captains—and five non-commissioned officers. If the government allows these men to remain it is felt that the students will receive military training equal to that of any training camp, and the work can be carried on in conjunction with the regular scholastic program.

Great interest is being manifested by the student body in all things military. The local office of the naval recruiting station reports several students enlisted recently, and the two national guard units are bustling with excitement. These two organizations saw service at the border last summer, and their respective captains report that the men are ready to go into any system of training, no matter how strenuous. One of the units is a troop of cavalry, and the other a battery of field artillery.

ROOSEVELT TO SPEAK
IN CHICAGO APRIL 28

CHICAGO, April 16.—Theodore Roosevelt will speak here at a stock yards amphitheater on the night of Saturday, April 28, it was announced today from the headquarters of the National Security League, under whose auspices Colonel Roosevelt will come to Chicago.

The speech of Colonel Roosevelt, Arnold Joerns, secretary of the league said, would emphasize his belief that the forces of Democracy must win the war with Germany.

CARRY OUT REPRISAL
BOMBARDMENT.

London, April 16.—A British admiralty statement issued tonight says:

"In consequence of German submarine attacks on British hospital ships, in direct and flagrant contravention of the Hague convention, a large squadron of British and French air planes carried out a reprisal bombardment of the town of Freiburg Saturday. Many bombs were dropped with good results.

"Despite a large number of air fights with hostile airplanes, all our machines except three returned safely."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Colburn of Loami enjoyed a visit Sunday at the home of Philip Gorman on Franklin street.

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SUFFRAGISTS TO HOLD
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To Celebrate Successes of Movement in a Number of States—Well Known Speakers on Program.

Columbus, O., April 16.—Suffragists of the states in the Mississippi valley will hold a "victory conference" in Columbus, May 12, 13 and 14 at which the recent successes of suffrage in Ohio, North Dakota, Indiana, Arkansas and Vermont will be celebrated and progress reported on the campaigns in South Dakota, New York and Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the International Women's Suffrage Alliance, Mrs. Catherine Vaughn McCulloch, of Evanston, Ill., Governor Cox will be among the speakers. Ohio recently won presidential suffrage for women by legislative enactment and the Ohio Supreme court recently ruled that cities operating under home rule charters could extend the franchise to women.

Among the states expected to be represented at the conference are Alabama, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, West Virginia and Wisconsin. Arkansas, Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky and Louisiana.

Mrs. J. F. Ferreira and son Wendell, who have been spending the past week with friends and relatives in the city have returned to their home in Springfield.

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If you intend to use Carterville Coal in your stove or furnace the coming winter buy it this month.

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No muss, no bother. Just comforting, soothing relief—first a gentle glow, then a delightful sense of coolness. And best of all, no blisters like the old-fashioned mustard plaster used to make.
Use Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet and colds of the chest (often prevents pneumonia).

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LEMONS BRING OUT THE HIDDEN BEAUTY
Make this lotion for very little cost and just see for yourself.

...admiration. In social life and in business the girl or woman whose face and hands show evidence of constant care enjoys a tremendous advantage over those who do not realize the value of a healthy skin and a spotless complexion.
At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoothen and beautifier.
Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin.—Adv.

Treat The Body As A Delicate Machine
You would not let a machine built for efficient work, get rusty and full of dust and dirt. Why let the body, the most delicate of all machines, get rusty and run down from inattention? Cleanse the blood; that's the secret; keep it clean. S. S. S., proven for 50 years the best of all blood tonics, will do it. Get a bottle at your druggist's TODAY and take it according to directions.
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Send in your suggestions—as many or as few as you like. The selection will be made by a board of five competent men whose decision shall be final and irrevocable and everyone who submits any suggestions thereby agrees to accept and abide by the decision of the Board of Judges.
Contest is open to all excepting the employees of this Company. There are no conditions, no restrictions nor entrance fee.
Send in your suggestions promptly. Every suggestion will be numbered in the order of its receipt. Contest closes May 1, 1917.
Mail all suggestions to the Board of Judges, Care of The Santanel Remedies Co., Masonic Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio.

CONCORD

On Sunday afternoon, Minister C. G. Cantrell, W. H. Williamson, Bert Way and Spencer Smith went to Lynnville, by auto, and attended a very good Sunday school convention. James E. Rife was called to help take care of L. L. Rexroat, who is dangerously ill at his home east of Concord.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Curran, and daughter Lois, of Versailles, came over Saturday evening to visit the family of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bove near Baker school. Mrs. Curran and Mrs. Bove are sisters.
Mrs. Sam Brockhouse and children are recovering from a severe attack of measles. They have certainly had a time of it, and have our sympathy.
The Brockhouse brothers and families of Arenzville were Sunday visitors with relatives in this part of Concord.
Doctor A. O. Magill and Mrs. Magill have the tender sympathy of this community in their trouble.
Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Smith came to church and Sunday school in their new Ford car Sunday morning. They sure need it, to come from their place here.
Austin Smith is to leave Tuesday for the northwest for the benefit of his health.
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Heater are residents of Jacksonville once more. They have been residents with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waters. Mrs. Henderson is using and selling a new kind of laundry tablet that beats anything we ever tried. Particulars free.
Elections will be held next Saturday for school director.
Lorena Plank is just about well now after a spell of scarlet fever.
Elopements are the fashion now. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brockhouse are in Flint, Michigan, where they will live.
Mrs. Clyde Taylor was up from her new home in Scott county recently on a visit to her parents.
W. C. Brockhouse has been making a very desirable addition to his house here, which improves the looks of the place, and will be greatly appreciated later in the season.

BLUFFS

Miss Rosella Claypool of Springfield is visiting relatives here.
Mrs. Ceuth Meats of Springfield is the guest of her son, C. M. Meats and family.
Mrs. Carl Horsey is visiting relatives in Indiana.
Messdames Frank Lyons, Katie Anderson and C. M. Meats were visitors in Jacksonville Thursday of last week.
George Reid, who spent a few days with his brothers, Andrew and Thomas here, left for the Pacific coast where he has been on the battleship Yorktown for the last eight years. He hastened to his field of duty to be ready for "Uncle Sam's" call.
Mrs. Wm. Hartnady was a business visitor in Jacksonville Friday.
Mrs. Andrew Reid went to Springfield the latter part of last week to accompany home her daughters, Grete and Ruth who have been visiting there.
Mrs. E. W. Stone accompanied by her granddaughter, Roberta spent last week with relatives in Beards-town.
The seniors of the high school are arranging for a play to be given at the opera house in the near future.
Miss Helen Rockwood is spending the week with relatives in Jacksonville.
H. G. Rockwood and family of Jacksonville spent Sunday with relatives here.
E. S. Travis of Peoria was a caller yesterday on city friends.

DURBIN

Mrs. John Devine, of East St. Louis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Scott.
Mrs. Sabra Roach of Alton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Story.
Collins Evey is recovering from a week's illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Darley and son Dawson, motored to Ashland Sunday to visit friends.
Mrs. Irene Wilson of Waverly, spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Oxley.
An interesting temperance program was carried out at Durbin Sunday morning.

ASBURY

The newly elected officers for the Asbury Bible school are as follows:
Superintendent—Lester A. Reed.
Asst. Supt.—George H. McKean.
Secretary—Miss Ruth Hem-brough.
Treasurer—Paul Barrows.
Planist—Miss Elizabeth Hem-brough.
Asst. Planist—Miss Anah Hem-brough.
Chorister—Carl L. Hembrough.
Miss Helen Craig left Tuesday to resume her studies in the Madison university after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Craig.
Mr. and Mrs. George Hembrough and daughter Marie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Megginson.
Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart and daughter Lucille of Jacksonville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Megginson.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hembrough and children Anella, Mary and Francis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hembrough near Murrayville.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reed and sons Robert, Wilbur, Richard and Donald were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Deatherage in Waverly.
Mrs. George Hembrough and Mrs. Carl Hembrough spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. B. Green.
Mrs. Harry Trotter entertained the members of the Woodson House hold Science at her home last Wednesday.
Lawrence Oxley of Franklin spent Wednesday evening with George Craig.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hembrough were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds.

ZION

Mrs. Rosa Rousey and daughter returned to their home near Franklin Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Covington and son were Jacksonville callers Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Langdon were callers in Jacksonville Friday.
Truman and Grace Gibson, 1741 Wiant of Jacksonville and Miss Ma Cade of Woodson and W. E. Har-look Sunday dinner with Ivallon Gibson.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Langdon and family spent Sunday with his uncle James D. Lawless west of Murrayville.
James Lawless spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lawless.
Mrs. Mary Slaughter and daughter Elizabeth of Jacksonville spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mutch.
Miss Clara Millard of Murrayville spent a night last week with her aunt, Mrs. Mabel Rimbley.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lonergan were Jacksonville visitors Friday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Rousey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Covington.
The Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday at the church for a carpet rag tacking.
Miss Lydia Hart spent Saturday night with Miss Hazel Jackson of Murrayville.
Miss Mary Jackson spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.
Mrs. Rosa Rousey was a Rood-house visitor Friday.
Luther Douglas is on the sick list this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Whitlock spent Sunday with Prof. Dent and daughters of Scottville.
Mildred and Forrest Whitlock spent Sunday with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Whitlock.
Mr. and Mrs. George Haverfield of White Hall spent Sunday with Mrs. Haverfield's people, William Atkinson and family.

Taxes must be paid before May 1st to avoid penalty. One per cent after May 1st, and advertised immediately thereafter.
Grant Graff, Collector.

WOMEN! READ THIS!
Lift off any corn or callus with fingers and it won't hurt a bit.
Your high heels have put corns on your toes and calluses on the bottom of your feet, but why care now?
This tiny bottle holds an almost magic fluid. A genius in Cincinnati discovered this ether compound and named it freeze-one like here shown can be had at any drug store for a few cents. Don't limp or twist your face in agony and spoil your beauty but get a little bottle of freeze-one and apply a few drops on your callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so shriveled and loose that you can lift it off with the fingers.
Just think! You get rid of a hard corn, soft corn or a corn between the toes, as well as hardened calluses without suffering one particle. You feel no pain or irritation while applying freezeone or afterwards. It is magic!

MORGAN

Chester Williams delivered one hog at Chapin last Monday that weighed 699 pounds at 14 cents. It was the most Greely Brownlow had paid for one hog since he had been buying.
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Coulson and daughters were visiting relatives in Springfield last Tuesday.
Mrs. C. E. Williams and daughter Bertha were Jacksonville visitors last Wednesday.
Miss Ruth Hutchins spent last Saturday in Chapin giving music lessons.
T. H. Stone and George H. Coulson have both received their new Ford cars.
Arthur Lovekamp, wife and daughter visited at the home of Frank Rolfe near Exeter Sunday.
The following pupils from the Hazel Dell school took the central examination at Merritt last Saturday: Misses Barbara Smith, Louise and Frances Stewart and Messrs. Paul Stone, Claud and Roy Finson. They were accompanied by their teacher, John T. Taylor.
Wilbur Williams and wife visited at the home of the former's parents last Sunday.
Chas. Drake was a business visitor here last Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams went to Quincy last Thursday to attend the funeral of the latter's brother, C. R. Holliday. "Dick" as he was usually known was born and raised in this vicinity and had many friends who extend their sympathy to the family.

MANCHESTER

Mrs. Ella Watt and Mrs. Mary Crow spent Sunday with James Crow and family of Clements vicinity.
Pearl Rousey is visiting at the home of Charles Rousey, near Franklin.
Mrs. Elmer Alfred of Roodhouse returned to her home Sunday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Belle Gidney and family.
Mrs. S. F. Fahrkopf spent Saturday in Jacksonville.
Pearl Gidney of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Belle Gidney and family.
Mrs. I. C. Funk was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.
Henry Heaton, Miss Eva Gane, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Heaton and little daughter spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Baldwin near White Hall.
Cora Lemon of Patterson vicinity spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lemon and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown visited at the home of John Taylor and family near Winchester Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Curtis and Louise Pearce visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baisley and family in Winchester Sunday afternoon.
Roy Curtis is confined to his home with an attack of tonsillitis.
Floyd Lashmet of Jacksonville spent Sunday with home folks.

EAST UNION

Harry Gilmore and family and Henry Cain and family spent Sunday with Wiley Goacher and wife.
Carey Hawkins, wife and son Lloyd spent Sunday with Mrs. Levi Hawkins and family.
Ves Daniel and wife, Henry Martin, wife and daughter, Lena, Ama Jones, Floy Featherkite and Russell Day spent Sunday at the home of R. H. Daniel and family.
Iona Garner spent Sunday with her parents J. M. Garner and family.
Iona Hawkins spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother Mrs. Levi Hawkins.
Verne Cooley and wife and Miss Mabel Daniel were passengers to Jacksonville Saturday.
James Hopper, wife and son Fred, spent Sunday with Jasper Hopper and wife of Richwoods.
Mrs. Henry Martin and daughter Lena spent Saturday in White Hall. Ernest Carmean and family spent Sunday with Thos. Cooley and family.
Mrs. Frances Marsh spent Sunday with N. J. Billings and family.
Mrs. Geo. Jones and daughter Amy spent Friday afternoon at the home of Nelson Mitchell of Manchester.

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION
(Longmont, Colo., Ledger, Apr. 13)
A meeting of men interested in organizing a Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, together with several members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was held in the lecture room of the Congregational church Tuesday evening. Dr. and Mrs. Clarence N. Guyer, Chas. E. Toppin and Simpson D. Butler of Denver came up to Longmont to meet with those interested. Very interesting speeches were made by the Denver Chapter, S. A. R., in the main urging the organization of the S. A. R. in Longmont for the purpose of standing firmly for those principles of liberty for which the revolutionary soldiers fought.
The result was a temporary organization, S. B. Hardy, president and C. W. Boynton, secretary.
Efforts will now be made to obtain as many members as can find credentials.
S. B. Hardy, Dr. W. J. White, C. L. Hoyer and Dr. Lloyd Hyatt are already members of the Denver Chapter, and F. T. Brenbarger is a member of the Sons of the Revolution, another order, but will become a member of the Longmont Chapter.
Any men 21 years of age or older who have evidence of their revolutionary ancestry are requested to report to C. W. Boynton, Secretary.
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